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READY TO ROLL THOSE TRAILS
If the snows ever arrive this winter, the Greenstock Snow Sports will be ready for them. Club members recently celebrated the arrival of their new (1993) ASV Track Truck groomer. The vehicle will be used on nearly 100 miles of trails maintained by the club. The \$35,000 used to purchase the groomer was raised by years of garage, Christmas tree, and food sales, as well as raffles and poker runs. Club members here are (from left): Otis Hayes, Pete Rosenberg, Rick Young, Bernie Gatchell, Arlene Hayes, Diddy Johnson, Richard and Ken Wakefield, and George Hayes.

(Photo by Michael Daniels)

Elderly housing proposed for Mayville

• Town sewer line would need to be extended across Androscoggin

By MICHAEL DANIELS

The Bethel Board of Selectmen agreed Monday to allow a community service organization to begin exploring the possibility of establishing a 90-bed home or center on Route 2 in Mayville.

The facility would be targeted at the needs of low- and low-to-moderate income elderly residents, but before it could be built the town would have to agree to extend its sewer and water lines to the site, which is located just over a mile north of the Androscoggin River bridge (just past Don's Car Care).

The town sewer lines currently extend only as far as the river (for pick-up, not delivery), while the water lines extend out on Route 2 almost as far as the proposed site.

If the sewer line is extended, businesses and residences along the way would eventually be forced to

hook up to the system, Town Manager Madeleine Henley said.

And this would mean paying a sewer system development charge (SSDC), which for some businesses could run into the tens of thousands of dollars.

Long process ahead

At this point the likelihood of such a facility actually being built is still far from certain.

The approval granted by the selectmen Monday was only to allow the Community Concepts, Inc. to prepare for board review a \$7,500 grant application.

The grant would be used to explore the feasibility (and cost) of extending the sewer and water lines to the site.

The selectmen, Henley, and treatment plant supervisor Robert Gundersen all agreed that such a

study would have value to the town even if the facility was never built.

The town would have to match \$1,500 of the grant, but Community Concepts has agreed to contribute \$750 of that amount, and the rest could possibly come from the Sewer Department operating budget, Henley said.

Larry Davis and Dennis LaJoie, who represented Community Concepts at Monday's selectmen's meeting, told the board the organization was currently conducting a marketing study to better define the need for such a facility, and exactly what sorts of services it should provide.

One option being considered, Davis said, was for an "assisted living" facility, which would offer housing and medical services.

The project was initiated when Gloria Wilson, in the name of the

late Paul Carter, offered to give the land to the organization, with the stipulation that it be used to benefit lower income elderly.

The possibility has also been raised of Community Concepts selling the property and using the proceeds to build a facility elsewhere, Henley said Monday.

But Davis said he had not yet discussed that option with the would-be donor.

At Planning Board tonight

The plan is expected to be discussed at the Bethel Planning Board meeting this evening (Wednesday, Jan. 8, 7 p.m., in the Town Office meeting room).

Davis and LaJoie also plan to present their grant proposal, and more details regarding the project, to the selectmen at their next meeting, on Jan. 21.

They love the lights

By ALISON ALOISIO

The newly-lighted ski slopes at Mt. Abram are understandably a hit with skiers. But somewhat less expected is the aesthetic appeal of the trails for many non-skiing residents.

The illuminated mountain is visible from Rumford Point, to Newry, to Bethel, to Gilead, to Woodstock, to probably some other places the Citizen hasn't heard from -- yet.

"I like it a lot. It's pretty," said Gary Brearley, owner of the Briar-Lea Bed and Breakfast on Route 2 in Bethel. "Mt. Abram seems a lot closer, too. It looks very inviting."

Margaret Joy Tibbetts, who lives near the top of the hill on Paradise Road in Bethel, said the lights can be seen clearly all the way up her road.

"I enjoy them. It's pleasant to look over and see it -- it looks like a spray of lights," she said. The arrangement of the lights along the slopes form a rough S-curve.

The new lights also act as a beacon for airplane pilots. Flyers headed for Bethel from Rangeley can see the mountain 60 or 70 miles away, according to pilot Dave Rigoletti of Bethel Air Service.

Dutch Dresser of Bethel said he was able to see "the orange loom" of the lights most of the way from South Paris on Route 26. He doesn't have any value judgments yet on their effect, he said.

Mary Beth Bayerlein of Bethel likes the appearance of the lights, and the fact that they "will make the skiers who arrive on Friday night aware that there is another ski area. Night skiing is a plus," she said.

Jonathan Goldberg of Bethel had some misgivings about the lights, which he can see out his window. But, he said, he could give them "a grudging not too bad. The glow seems relatively contained and of a not obnoxious color. I am encouraged by the economic viability night skiing may add to Mt. Abram and the area in general. I will probably enjoy a few nights of cutting up the trails. I can wait til after closing to do my stargazing."

But, Goldberg added, "Not even a brutally cold hypothermic night in February, however, will convince me that the addition of artificial lights does anything but detract from the star-studded mountain vista."

In Greenwood itself, Arlene Hayes can see the lights from her home on the top of Bird Hill. She said they are simply "wonderful."

Kim Inman of West Paris works at Mt. Abram. She has heard from other Locke Mills residents who are entertained by night skiing without ever leaving their homes.

"They sit in their windows and watch the lights and activity," she said.

Diddy Johnson is a lifelong baseball fan who lives across from the Locke Mills ballfield. "It's great," she said. "They can play ball at night now (when the clouds reflect the light)."

Lloyd Decato, interim Greenwood Town Manager, was asked if he

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Andover twins among Harvard's first picks

By ALISON ALOISIO

"They handle their 'twinness' very well," said Telstar High School teacher Suzanne Taylor.

It's a good thing. Because senior identical twins Fred and Daniel Emerson will have to keep handling it for another four years -- at Harvard University.

The two Andover boys were notified in mid-December that they had received early admission to Harvard. They were among 400 given the early nod, to become members of what will eventually be a 1,600-member Class of 2001.

A total of more than 18,000 students apply to the Ivy League school each year.

Taylor found out how capable the twins were when they arrived in her seventh-grade math class.

"They did Algebra I and Algebra II in one year," she said.

The classes are usually one year each in length, and are generally offered to ninth- and tenth-graders.

Since then, said Taylor, "the challenge has been to challenge them."

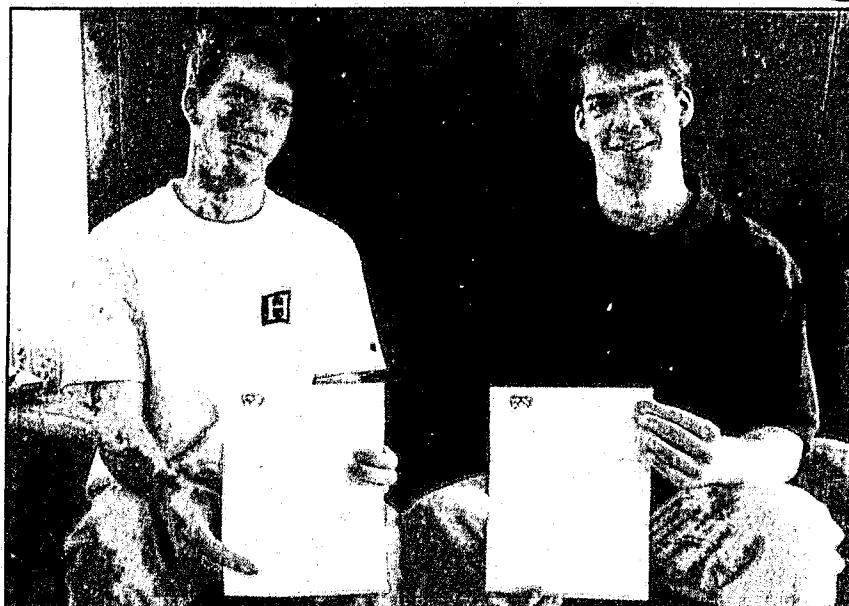
Fred and Daniel took summer math courses during middle school from the Center for Talented Youth of Johns Hopkins University. When they got to high school, it was calculus in 10th grade, followed by two years of college math taken by correspondence through Brigham Young University.

Throw in advanced placement English and history, and the boys are well into college work.

When they got to Harvard next fall, Fred will take the pre-med course, while Daniel will study computer engineering or robotics.

Two very different areas for twins

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TWINS FRED (LEFT) AND DANIEL EMERSON, with their letters of early acceptance to Harvard University. (Photo by Alison Aloisio)

Have an opinion on how the national forest is run?

• Now is the time to speak up

By ALISON ALOISIO

Bethel-area residents will have a chance next week to offer their views on the quality of management in the White Mountain National

Forest. The Forest Service has scheduled a public-input meeting for Jan. 14 in Gorham, N.H., as part of its Forest Plan Revision process.

Each National Forest revises their Land and Resource Management Plan according to the National Forest Management Act, which was put into place by Congress in 1976. The current plan has been in place since 1986 and according to the NFMA, it should be revised every

10 to 15 years.

"We've been looking at how the plan has worked for the past 10 years," said Pat Nasta, WMNF public affairs assistant. "But we want to ask people, 'What do you think about how it's working? You've been working and playing on this land for the past 10 years.'"

Examples of issues people may wish to comment on include wildlife strategies and the possibility of acquiring more land for the forest.

The USFS creates small openings in the forest to provide feeding and

nesting areas for wildlife, Nasta said. She said people might wish to share opinions regarding the practice. "Do they like it? Have they seen lots of deer or grouse in them? Or do they think the openings are ugly?" she said.

The USFS also has the option of acquiring more land from willing sellers. Nasta said, for example, that if private land is surrounded by WMNF land the Service might inquire whether the landowner would

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A snowboarder rides a long shadow under the lights (left).

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Letters

BICENTENNIAL WAS A TOP STORY

To the Editor:

It was with great disappointment that I read through the list of the top stories of 1996 in the Jan. 2 issue of the Citizen and was unable to find even a brief mention of Bethel's Bicentennial Celebration.

A dedicated group of volunteers met for many months planning and coordinating all of the festivities to commemorate Bethel's 200th birthday, an event that we felt was very important in our town's history, and to not even include one sentence acknowledging that it took place is an insult to all who worked so hard to make a year to remember. All of the Bethel residents, past and present, who attended the exhibits, programs, encampments, pageant, parades, concerts and fireworks throughout the year were full of enthusiasm and praise for everything that took place.

In the course of the historical and genealogical research that I do in my spare time, I have learned that newspapers can be an important source of information. I feel very sad to think that, in recent years, our local paper has chosen to overlook or down play some news items that may be of interest to researchers in 50 to 100 years who are not gossip mongers, but want to learn about the positive, community-minded things that occurred in town, and has instead chosen to prominently feature the area's more sensational stories. I realize my views of what constitutes news probably differ from those of "the powers that be" at The Citizen, but I do think there are a great many people out there who would agree with me.

I want to commend all the members of the Bicentennial Committee who put in countless volunteer hours over the course of nearly two years to make Bethel's bicentennial a truly memorable event; it was a real community effort that should make everyone involved feel very proud. Well done!

Danna Brown Nickerson
Co-vice chairman, Bethel Bicentennial Committee

NEWS PRIORITIES WRONG

To the Editor:

Your top ten stories of the year were read with interest. Once again your journalistic priorities were very much in evidence and once more I believe you have missed the mark not only for what Bethel area people will remember of 1996 in the long run, but also what may be important to your readers and subscribers. I feel compelled to write on behalf of the hundreds of volunteers who worked so hard for their community in the past year to provide such a memorable expression of their love for what was a common sentiment in the 19th century, "dear old Bethel."

Through 1995 and 1996 the volunteers associated with organizing and putting on the town's bicentennial observance had to contend with your apparent indifference and in some instances obvious reluctance to publish articles and cover events relating to this broadly based community effort. I don't think I need remind you (but I will anyway in case anyone missed it) of the colossal faux pas you pulled in June 1996 by giving bold headlines to the Incorporation Day celebration for the wrong date. That indicated to many of us how much attention you were paying to this year-long effort honoring the 200th anniversary of the town's incorporation which involved hundreds of people and attracted thousands throughout 1996.

Yet there was no listing of the bicentennial as a major local news story of 1996. Was it because there was no scandal connected with it or because it was a thoroughly positive story of community pride and enthusiasm? Whatever the reason, I believe you owe it to your readers to explain why such an important event involving so many people was not given the recognition it deserved.

Stan Howe
Chairman, Bethel Bicentennial Committee

(Editor replies: We agree completely with both of the above writers regarding the newsworthiness of Bethel's bicentennial celebration. It was a notable event of 1996, as well as a notable success, and it should have been included in our year-end wrap-up. We did of course intend it, but in the press of more mundane matters last week the bicentennial story -- which had been set aside until we could figure out some suitably special way to package it -- regrettably slipped out (the editor's) mind. It came back to mind at 3 a.m. Wednesday, when said same editor awoke with an oath that sent three otherwise fearless watchdogs snoring under the kitchen table. But by then it was too late. We regret the omission and thank both writers for setting the historical record straight.

But for the sake of that historical record, it is only fair to point out that in the four months prior to the bicentennial weekend, The Citizen published six page-one stories and/or photos regarding the celebration (all but one above the fold) and four page-two photos or graphics. The last of the page-one pieces -- on the Wednesday before the big event -- was a color photo and schedule occupying the entire upper half of the page and beyond. That same week there was also a special 8-page bicentennial tabloid insert (complete with a historical piece kindly provided by Dr. Howe). The following week, bicentennial photos filled our entire front page -- something a single event had never before done. And throughout the year leading up to the event, there were numerous smaller pieces and photos, as well as a Bicentennial Committee column, monthly 'Almanack Quiz,' and countless letters to the editor telling of upcoming events and praising volunteers.

In sum, Bethel's bicentennial was a major town undertaking that deserved and received a level of coverage in the town's newspaper that was unprecedented in the past two decades.

We are not terribly surprised that even this copious amount of ink was not enough to satisfy all involved; but when time and space are painfully finite, as they are at any newspaper, choices must be made.

Our goal is to strike a balance that reflects the varied needs and interests of the community as a whole. And we cannot achieve that balance if we allow ourselves to march blindly to the beat of whatever individual or group in the community happens to bang its own drum the loudest.

We trust readers will judge for themselves to what degree we succeed or fail in striking that balance. And we always welcome constructive criticism.

--MRD)

IMPORTANT ANDOVER WATER MEETING THURSDAY

To the Editor:

There will be a public forum Water District meeting on Thursday, Jan. 9, at 7:30 p.m. in the Andover Town Hall. This is an important meeting, and we encourage the voters of the town, as well as the Water District users, to come and be informed about our proposed new water project and the costs associated with it. This will be a meeting with a panel of experts, including people from various state agencies who will be happy to answer questions and discuss your concerns.

Members of the Public Utilities Commission (PUC) staff and the Public Advocates Office will be present to discuss their recommendations for a post-project operating budget for Andover Water District. People who "hold the purse strings" for several grant programs have been invited to this meeting as well.

The engineer for the new water system, Al Hodson, will also be on hand to present his designs for the system, to talk about the overall costs associated with undertaking this project and his ideas for grant monies to offset these costs as well as time frames for project completion. Ray Hammond, who is an engineer with the PUC, will also be there. This should be a good opportunity for citizens to discuss with the experts concerns about the old pipes and the need for infrastructure improvements as well as any concerns about the hydrant system.

This project is a large financial undertaking, and it is planned that the major portion of the money needed for it will come from various state and federal grants. A great amount of grant money is essential to complete this project because we are a small rural water district with limited revenues available to us.

The R.U.S. (formerly Farmer's Home Administration) Loan that was committed to in January of 1994 was calculated on a user base of 147 households. Current water rates which went into effect in October of 1994, were thought by the P.U.C. to be enough to pay the loan and operating costs. The district's situation is somewhat changed, of course, by the fact that some users have dropped off the system. The district now has a user base of approximately 122 households.

The current Water Board, however, is concerned that it cannot stabilize the water rates at their current level due to the changed circumstances since they went into effect. However, it is the desire of the board to hold rates as low as possible, while being sensitive to the needs of the community for a good quality drinking water and increased fire protection.

In order to do this, we will definitely need cooperation not only from our users but from the town as a whole. We must find that unity in the community we live in.

Please come to the Jan. 9 meeting. We encourage you to come voice your concerns. We welcome your suggestions. Come ask your tough questions of the experts.

Anne H. Glazier, Ronald Wells, David Greig
Trustees, Andover Water District

Twins

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who say they generally have similar interests.

Fred would like to become a pediatrician, inspired in part by the encouragement of his own lifelong pediatrician, Dr. William T. Whitney of Norway. Whitney is also a Harvard graduate.

Daniel said his interests stem from his father, Fred's, abilities.

"I've always been interested in computers, and my dad is very mechanical," Daniel said.

Did the boys worry that one of them might get accepted by Harvard while the other one didn't?

"I thought about it. It had crossed my mind," said Daniel.

But, said Fred, they were pretty confident they would share the same fate, good or bad, because they are so similar in their academic abilities.

"We figured we'd both either get accepted or not," said Fred.

Asked if they had considered going to different schools, Fred gave a very sensible answer. "It's practical to both go to the same school. We can travel back and forth together," he said.

Both have also applied for Air Force ROTC scholarships to fi-

nance their studies.

The boys describe themselves as getting along well, on the whole. They've taken part in the same sports, including soccer and track.

Taylor said one difference is Fred's affinity for art, compared to Daniel's interest in creative writing. She has had both boys in English classes for several years.

From country to city

As for the culture shock of going from Andover, Maine, to Cambridge, Mass., Fred said, "I don't think it will be a problem. But it was a shock when we first went down."

They visited the school and had an interview in November.

Taylor shares their confidence "I think they'll handle it all right," she said.

Principal Ted Davis attributes the Emersons' academic success to taking their course of study very seriously. And, he said, "they've challenged each other, but in a healthy way."

They've also had the usual share of identical twin confusion throughout their school career.

Have they ever pulled the trading-

places stunt that's common among identical twins?

"Not on purpose," said Daniel.

The school newsletter was the source of one recent mix-up, when it published two copies of a photo of Fred instead of one of each. "Their mother called us, but said she was probably the only one that noticed it," Davis said.

He said that after almost four years, he's getting better at telling the boys apart. "I have to look twice, but it's been easier since they both now have girlfriends (accompanying them down the hallway)," he said.

While Taylor describes both Emersons as self-motivated in their studies, Fred and Daniel still credit their teachers for helping them along the way. They cited in particular the flexibility of the math program, and the support of Taylor and history teacher Bill Morton.

Their parents, Fred and Margaret, have also provided their share of encouragement, according to Davis.

But Margaret wouldn't take any credit for it. Her only comment: "We're extremely proud of them," she said. "We'll miss them very much."

Forest plan

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be interested in selling. But taking such land out of a community's tax base can be a concern, she said.

She also said the eventual resolution of Maine's clearcutting issue will affect the management of the 50,000 acres of WMNF land in Maine.

More issues, more people

In the larger picture, there are many reasons forest plans need to be revised, according to the Forest Service. The first is because forest management concepts are continually evolving.

"Back when we completed the plan, the whole idea of ecosystem management was just barely coming up in workshops and conferences," said Chuck Prausa, forest planner on the White Mountain National Forest. "Now, as a result of the Northern Forest Lands Council process, we have a much clearer idea about our entire region, as an ecosystem that stretches beyond the boundaries of the White Mountain National Forest."

"It's a way of managing based on establishing partnerships within the ecosystem to achieve the goal of sustaining it. It means you think about the balance between the needs of the partners, the needs of the environment, and the needs of the humans who are affected by

how the ecosystem is managed. There's a lot more to forest management now -- it's much more complex," said Prausa.

There are many opportunities for change that have surfaced in the White Mountain National Forest since the plan was completed in 1986.

"We get between six and seven million visitors a year who come to our picnic areas, or who hike or snowmobile the trails," said Alexis Jackson, public affairs specialist on the forest. "Many of these visitors crave an experience that includes wildness and solitude."

"When we wrote the plan, fewer people were using the forest. Today, people still seek the same kind of experience they had when there were fewer visitors, so we need to rethink parts of the Forest Plan to find how to best provide for all these uses."

Changing the plan to meet the needs of visitors to the White Mountain National Forest isn't as easy as just saying it will be done.

"There's a lot more to changing the plan than people think," said Mike Seeger a forest planner. "We have to evaluate a need for change and complete environmental assessments that are required under the National Environmental Policy Act. It goes through a pretty rigorous

evaluation with public involvement throughout the process."

The Forest Plan attempts to address the needs of a lot of different people.

The White Mountain National Forest is a "multi-use" forest," Seeger said. "That means we have a recreation program that includes hiking, camping, fishing, hunting, biking, and all those types of things. We also have a timber sale program to produce the products builders, woodworkers, and newspapers use as well as provide benefit to wildlife habitat."

In the case of recreation use, the evaluation would include the maintenance problems associated with heavily used trails.

"When a trail received really heavy traffic, there is a potential for significant erosion problems," Seeger said. "This would lead to a decline in a hiking experience. So, for example, we would need to have a strategy in place to deal with growing numbers of users -- year round -- in revising our Forest Plan."

The Jan. 14 meeting will take place at Gorham High School. An open house and registration will start at 6 p.m., and the information session will run from 7 to 9:30 p.m. For more information call 603-528-8721.

Lights

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had heard any complaints about the lights. "I've heard only positive comments," he said.

Not surprisingly, the highly-visible slopes do a good job of advertising themselves to skiers. "We haven't been marketing it much," said Brian Hendricks, marketing director for the mountain.

Skiers, he said, were drawn to the mountain even before it opened for night skiing.

"When we put the lights on to test them, a lot of people drove into the parking lot," he said.

More trail time

The skiers got their chance to hit the nighttime slopes beginning Dec. 27. Although the alternately balmy

and frigid weather hasn't helped business, Hendricks said the mountain's new dimension has been well-received. The ski area hopes to add a further dimension this weekend by opening its snow tubing hill.

Friday night's skiers gave the lighted trails good reviews.

Karen Kearney of Newburyport, Mass., whose family owns a vacation home here, has skied at Mt. Abram for 10 years.

"It gives me more opportunity to ski," she said. "I think it's great."

Stephanie Woodward of Lexington, Mass., also owns a vacation home and has been coming to the area for 14 years. She and friend Donna Delillo were on the slopes

Friday night.

"We got up here (from Massachusetts) at 5 and we said, 'Let's go,'" said Woodward.

For Kim Inman's son Vern, 15, the lighted slopes mean another form of entertainment for area kids. "There's more to do at night," he said.

He also likes the appearance of the night-time trails.

"It looks like a whole different mountain," he said. "The lights give it another look."

One young skier had another take on the lighted S-curve as it appears from a distance. "It looks like a dollar sign," he said.

Which, Ski Mt. Abram no doubt hopes, is an omen for the future.

THIS WEEK AT THE
Moses Mason House

In 1855, the Bethel Farmer's Club sponsored an antiquarian supper, which by modern standards was a modest affair. Bean porridge, pumpkin pie, fire cake, parched corn and sage tea were served for the meal and the evening was highlighted by a display of old items that had been part of Bethel's colonial past. Several older citizens recalled things from their childhood, including the fact that the first wagon came to town in 1811.

Details of this event and subsequent historical and patriotic festivals, observances, and celebrations throughout Bethel's past was the subject of the January meeting of the Bethel Historical Society held Thursday evening in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House. Society Director Stanley R. Howe surveyed some of the more significant events in this genre from the 1950s to the past year's bicentenary of incorporation.

All of these events required the participation of scores of volunteers to be a success and broad-based community support. Very often prominent citizens took the lead and quite frequently organizations such as the American Legion and the Bethel Historical Society in the 20th century assumed the role of sponsor. In 1931, the Bethel Citizen took a leading part in promoting the 150th anniversary observance of New England's Last Indian Raid and published a special edition commemorating the event. The same was true with a special edition published in 1974 honoring the 200th anniversary of the town's settlement.

LOOKING BACK

10 years ago: The Ski Maine Association announced sponsorship of a "Ski Free Day" for Friday, Jan. 9. Oxford Bank and Trust purchased the Bethel Savings Bank building in West Paris. Births: Elizabeth Slattery, Matthew Peck, Michelle Henley, Deaths: Gladys Bartlett, Alma Witham, Edwin Rugg.

20 years ago: Rep. Karen Brown was sworn in as a member of Maine, 108th Legislature by Gov. James Longley. Eldon Bartlett, of the Oxford County Sheriff's Department, started the first class in defensive driving given at the Mundt-Allen American Legion building in Bethel. The town of Bethel was granted a clerk-typist position under the CETA program for January to September 1977. A grand opening was held at Mt. Abram Dining Room. Marriage: Sharon Felt and Robert Scherf Jr. Deaths: Mary Whitney Gould, Myra Crooker, Walter Errington, Charlie Stevens.

30 years ago: The Board of Directors of SAD44 were informed the previously approved Head Start program would not be possible due to lack of federal funds. New Officers of the Greater Bethel Chamber of Commerce were: president, John Brown; vice president, William Cousins; secretary-treasurer, Roger Conant. Births: Bethany Smith, Brandon Salway. Marriages: Clarence Remington Jr. and Lynda Hammonston, Linda Brown and Trafton Foster, Mary Lowell and Paul Langlois Jr. Deaths: Harold Nevers, Homer Luck, Dorothy Butler.

40 years ago: The Gould Academy Christmas Dinner and Dance was enjoyed by 96 alumni and their spouses. The Rev. Clifford Laws accepted pastordship of the West Paris Congregational Church in Bethel. Elwood Ireland was elected president of the Bethel Chamber of Commerce. Births: Christopher Morrill, Elizabeth Davis. Marriages: Carol DesRoches and George Westlake Jr., Susan Kneeland and John Barrett, Barbara Poole and Harold Hampton. Death: Mary Thompson.

50 years ago: Lt. John "Jack" Peabody, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Peabody of Bethel, joined the "Caterpillar Club" when he was forced to jump from an Army plane in Korea. The following group of Bethel young people enjoyed a sleigh ride after attending the movies: Marlene Anderson, Jackie Macfarlane, Marguerite Cotton, Lois Ann Van, Marilyn Boyker, Joyce Cummings, Isabelle Bennett, Rachel Brown, Norma Hunt, Amy and Gertrude Penner, Robert Croteau, Rebecca Philbrick, Errol Donahue, Raymond York, David Bennett, Ted Young, Carl Wight, Donald Lord, Lee Carroll, Billy O'Brien, Eldon Greenleaf, Charles Smith. Birth: Donald Baker. Death: Edmund Cole.

100 years ago: John Swan was putting ice in at the Bethel Butter Factory on Church Street. Officers elected at the annual meeting of the Bethel Water Company were: president, Enoch Foster; treasurer, A.E. Herrick; directors, Elias Thomas, Ceylon Rowe, G.A. Hastings, E.W. Woodbury, F.W. Sanborn. Sheriff Penley seized five gallons of liquor in the possession of Joseph Jolinger. Frank Hapgood bought George Hapgood's grocery store on Main Street (stood on the Key Bank lot). Deaths: Grace Annis, Charles Farwell.

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Briefly

Gundersen, Bethel plant receive award

BETHEL--Robert Gundersen of the Bethel Wastewater Treatment Facility has been selected as one of seven Region I excellence award winners by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. The awards go to the staff of municipal wastewater treatment plants in recognition of their commitment to clean water through continued outstanding operation and maintenance, and consistent compliance with permit effluent limits. The winners will be officially announced at the New England Water Environment Association annual awards luncheon in Boston later this month.

Coles apply for seasonal trailer permit

GREENWOOD--Carlton and Leona Cole are applying for a permit to allow a seasonal trailer to be placed on their Twitchell Pond lot. Gordon Brown met with the Greenwood Planning Board Monday on behalf of the Coles. In 1995 they were denied a permit to build a 20- by 40-foot permanent home on the lot because the configuration of the lot was such that a building and septic system could not both comply with shoreland and right of way setback requirements. The Coles took the case to the Greenwood Appeals Board, arguing they could not get a reasonable return on their investment in the property if they could not build on it. But the board denied a variance, saying a seasonal trailer would provide a reasonable return. That decision was later upheld by an Oxford County Superior Court judge. Brown said Monday the Coles do not want to put a seasonal trailer on the site themselves, but are "trying to make the lot so they can sell it and get some of their money back," he said. The Coles are asking for a permit for a 14- by 70-foot trailer. The Planning Board has scheduled a site review for this weekend.

Open station this weekend

NEWRY--The Newry Fire Department has scheduled an open house Sunday, Jan. 12, at the new Bear River Fire Station. The event will take place from noon to 3 p.m.

Newry to eat and debate this year

NEWRY--The annual Town Meeting, scheduled for March 3, will take place at the Grange Hall rather than the R.C. Foster Building this year. A potluck supper, to precede the 7 p.m. meeting, is also being planned. Volunteers will be needed to help with the supper. Further details will be available as the meeting approaches.

Responsible Pet Care gets grant

NORWAY--Responsible Pet Care, which has worked for several years to establish a no-kill animal shelter, has received a \$10,000 grant to help its cause. The Pet Rescue grant-making agency of Yarmouth, Mass. has for the past four years granted anywhere from \$2,500 to \$10,000, and the Norway organization received the maximum. The funds will go toward the purchase of kennel runs, to be installed at a new shelter on Route 118 in Norway. Some of the grant money will also be used toward equipment for an operating room at the shelter, where animals can be treated, spayed or neutered. The major focus of the shelter will be on cats, with dogs accommodated to a lesser extent.

LURC rejects development restrictions

AUGUSTA--The Land Use Regulatory Commission last month rejected a proposed zoning policy encouraging the state to ban development in large areas of the north woods. Chairman Steve Wight of Newry was on the losing side of the 4-3 vote, which would have approved studying and identifying possible "set asides." In such areas, logging would have been permitted but development prohibited. A majority of citizens attending public hearings on the issue last year favored the move, prompting LURC staff to recommend it. The decision may bring more public support for Restore: The North Woods' proposed 3.2 million-acre woods preserve and national park as a means to prevent key areas from development, according to Jym St. Pierre, Maine director of the organization. Some environmentalists have also started work on legislation to change the way people get on, and stay on, the commission. Currently, nominations by the governor can only be overturned by a two-thirds vote of the Maine Senate.

DEP responsibilities to shift to towns

AUGUSTA--The Maine Legislature made several major changes to Maine's Site Location of Development Law that are scheduled to take effect July 1. The new law will relieve some small-project developers of the requirement of obtaining a DEP license and will shift the review and oversight responsibilities to local municipalities. The changes apply to developments involving three to seven acres and residential subdivisions of 15 or more lots, located on between 30 to 100 acres, in municipalities found to have "capacity." Towns with capacity meet the following criteria: have a population greater than 2,500; have commonly used subdivision and/or site plan ordinances; employ a staff planner or have a formal contract with a reviewing agency. Those municipalities will be required to assume responsibility for reviewing the projects by Jan. 1, 2003.

Limited-English students increasing

AUGUSTA--The number of children in Maine schools who are limited in their proficiency with the English language has increased by 10 percent over last year, according to a report from the Department of Education's Office of English as a Second Language and Bilingual Education. There are more than 2,500 such children -- 72 percent more than were enrolled in 1991. The students represent primarily French, Asian, Hispanic, German and American Indian cultural backgrounds. The most rapidly growing group is from Asia and Africa. Sixty percent of Maine schools report providing instructional services for their students with limited English proficiency in compliance with federal statutes.

MDOT buys rail line

AUGUSTA--The Maine Department of Transportation has purchased nearly 40 miles of rail line in western Maine from the Maine Central Railroad. The purchase price for the 39.95 miles of right of way from Windham to Fryeburg was \$1.1 million, according to Commissioner John Melrose. "This marks the culmination of years of negotiations with Maine Central and allows us to preserve this corridor for future transportation purposes," said Melrose. The funds for the purchase come from a transportation enhancement program, under which federal funds pay for 100 percent of the cost. Agreement has not yet been reached on another portion of the rail line, stretching from Windham to Westbrook. Service on the line was discontinued in 1994.

1996 third safest fire year

AUGUSTA--Last year was the third safest year on record in Maine for fire deaths, the State Fire Marshal's Office said Friday. Seventeen people were killed by fires in 1996, well below the annual average for the decade of 21. Increased use of smoke detectors, fire prevention and safety programs and improved building codes contributed to the decrease, said state Fire Marshal Ladd Alcott. The safest year was 1995, when 12 people died, followed by 1991 with 14 deaths. The State Fire Marshal's Office has kept statistics since 1950. Between 1950 and 1980, the average number of fire deaths was 49. The average dropped to 32 in the 1980s.

Program sends horses to slaughter

RENO, Nev.--A multi-million dollar federal program created to save the lives of wild horses is instead channeling them by the thousands to slaughterhouses where they are chopped into cuts of meat. Those are the conclusions of an Associated Press investigation of the U.S. Wild Horse and Burro Program, which has rounded up 165,000 animals and spent \$250 million since it was created by Congress 25 years ago. The program was intended to protect and manage wild horses on public lands, where they compete for resources with grazing cattle. The idea: Gather up excess horses and offer them to the public for adoption. But nothing prevents the new owners from selling the horse to slaughterhouses. Adopters typically pay \$125 for a horse, and can then receive \$700 for them at a slaughterhouse.

From the Bethel Police log:

Stinger mat spikes violator

At 11:33 p.m. on Jan. 2 a car turned left onto Route 2 from the Sunday River Road, directly into the path of the Bethel police cruiser. The officer had to brake abruptly to avoid a collision. He turned on the cruiser lights and followed the vehicle for approximately three-quarters of a mile without it pulling over. The officer then turned on his siren, and notified the Oxford County Sheriff's Office that the vehicle would not stop. It continued east on Route 2 into Hanover. There, a Rumford police officer deployed a stinger Spike Mat. The vehicle struck the mat, slowed down, and stopped near the Hanover General Store. The driver, Finn Stinson, 23, of Rumford Point, was taken into custody. He was taken to the Oxford County Jail, where further investigation showed he had no driver's license for any state. Stinson was summonsed and incarcerated pending the receipt of bail.

Wednesday, Jan. 1

At 2 a.m. a subject was stopped for a defective tail light on Route 26. A license check showed the subject's license was under suspension and had an active warrant. Eric D. Cloutier, 18, of Wolfboro Falls, N.H., was arrested for failure to appear and summonsed for operating after suspension.

At 1:02 p.m. the owner of Maine Line Products reported that during the night of New Year's Eve someone removed several strands of Christmas lights from the window boxes in front of the store. He wanted the incident on file.

Thursday, Jan. 2

At 10:03 a.m. a subject was stopped for failure to stop at a stop sign on Route 2. Eric C. Connor, 25, of New Ipswich, N.H. was arrested for operating after suspension.

At 10:25 p.m. a Bethel Mainway/Irving employee reported a juvenile had entered the store and used foul language toward her. She said the problem had been on-going for some time. She also said that when she left work she found someone had spit all over her car. The complainant was advised to speak with the store manager to see if the juvenile could be barred from the property, and was also advised to speak with the police chief.

Friday, Jan. 3

At 7:12 p.m. a resident of Doon's Trailer Park reported that a neighbor had called him and said that she had seen a male subject come out of the woods and walk around his trailer, looking in the windows. The subject then quickly re-entered the woods when a car drove into the trailer park. On arrival the officer observed the subject's footprints. He had walked down from the railroad track and returned the same way by crossing the frozen brook. The officer did not follow out of concern the brook ice was not safe for walking.

Sunday, Jan. 4

At 12:40 a.m. a subject was stopped for failure to dim headlights. John C. Hapell, 23, of South Paris was summonsed for operating after suspension and failure to show proof of insurance. A friend was called to drive the vehicle.

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The group meets every Tuesday and Thursday at 9:30 a.m. at Sunday River's Peak Lodge for complimentary coffee and a little socializing. The skiing and clinics begin at 10 a.m. and go for two hours.

Registration can be done on a daily or seasonal basis. Any senior skier who skis parallel or beginning parallel is invited to take a free trial meeting and clinic with the group. For more information call 824-3000, ext. 5080.

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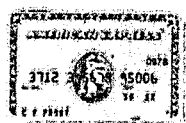
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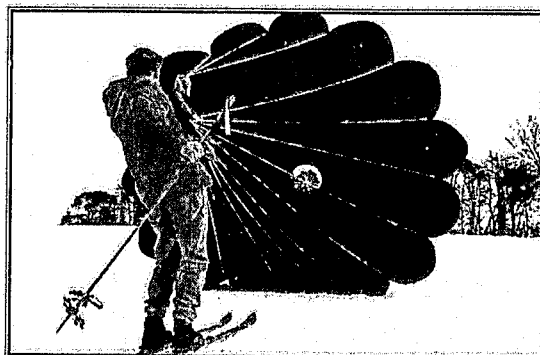
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by
Phyllis Dock
Ruth Cummings
recently returned
home from
Rumford Community Hospital
after having

been hospitalized with severe pneumonia.

Becky Johnson and children Bob and Susan of South Harpswell visited Randal and Sarah Stevens this past weekend.

Ethel Ward has returned home from Gorham after spending some time with her daughter, Betty Lurvey.

Gay and Alvin Gammon of Saratoga Springs, N.Y., were weekend visitors of Barbara Lucas.

Jim Dock of Lewiston spent the weekend with his grandparents, the Norman Docks.

East Bethel



by
Nancy Mercer

Louise Hage, Lucy Nordahl's mother, passed away on Dec. 14, 1996. Lucy returned from

Rhode Island on Dec. 29.

Alder River Grange will hold a regular meeting on Jan. 10 at the home of Leslie Noyes at 7:30 p.m.

Jill Olson is home from U.M.F. for school break. She is working at Sunday River Skiway while on break.

Linda Olson was in Portland on Dec. 30 to visit Carrie Aube.

Alan Gamble from Salem, N.H., visited Florence Hastings on Jan. 4 and 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Franklin and Katherine of Texas visited Sonny and Bettyann Hastings recently.

Julie Hastings of Nashua, N.H., and Jeff Hastings and family from Corinna visited Sonny and Bettyann Hastings Jan. 5 to 10.

Suzanne Grover Bernhard of Alameda, Calif., came for her grandmother's birthday. There were about 100 people at Mildred Howe's 100th birthday celebration on Jan. 5 in Waterford. Jean Grover is one of her daughters.

Ryan Bernier and his finance, Sheila McCall from Germany, and Michelle McInnis of Bryant Pond visited Andre and Flossie Bernier on Jan. 5.

Roland Walker and son Scott, David Walker and son Derick, Jerry Felips and son Timmy, Jeff Walker, Brenda Hart, and Axel Annis all saw the New Year in with Kenneth Mason and sons Kenny and Tony.

Kenny Mason, Tony Mason and Axel Annis all caught nice brook trout on opening day of ice fishing. Tony and Axel went cusk fishing opening night and had good luck. Kenny Mason has also caught two nice salmon. Little Brian Piaulock caught a nice three-pound bass. All the boys were using bait from Ken's

Bait Shop and fishing at Hush Hush Pond.

Ken Mason has come up with a new cusk bait with the help from Fish Hunter Productions, Sioux Falls, S.D. Ken said the new formula absolutely makes the possibilities better for catching the "big" one.

Tony Mason got his driver's license on his first try.

Andover



by
Karen McKay

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Swain and two daughters have returned to their home in Lexington, Ky., after spending a week visiting with his parents, his brother and other friends in the area. The third brother, Rodney and family, spent the holiday in Florida.

The Andover Water District will hold their next meeting on Thursday, Jan. 9, at 7:30 p.m. at the Town Hall. All district users are urged to attend this informational meeting.

The Andover Public Library will hold Amnesty Week the week of Jan. 13. There will be no fines for overdue books.

The Snow Valley Sno-Goers met Saturday night. Joel Wilkinson, the area game warden, was the guest speaker with information regarding snowmobiling and safety. There

were 391 snowmobile accidents reported in 1996, 13 in Oxford County. There were 12 fatalities statewide. Those involved with the most accidents were in the 31-to-35-year age group. You are required to report accidents which result in an excess of \$300 damage to the Maine State Fish and Game Warden Service.

There is a new law concerning the operation of snow machines and ATVs while under the influence of alcohol. If you are under age 21 there is zero tolerance, any consumption of alcohol results in an OUI charge. Those older than 21 will be tested in accordance with the state's .08 guidelines for alcohol levels when operating vehicles. The warden service will have trail rides during the season to check on snowmobilers' registrations and sobriety and to influence the safe operation of sleds.

The club's upcoming events include the ride-in of antique sleds at their club hut on trail 182 on Jan. 18 at 11:30 a.m., a potluck supper to be held on Feb. 1 at the CEB, and a Poker Run to be held on Feb. 8.

Get well wishes to surgical patient Peggy Madigan.

Dottie Arsenault spent Christmas with her son and family in Farmington. She was joined by her daughter, Debbie Atkinson, who came in from Oklahoma City, Okla., and her sister, Pat Bournival from Manchester, N.H. Debbie and Pat spent a week visiting in Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Simmons of Darnley, Prince Edward Island,

spent several days visiting with Mrs. Grace Simmons and other relatives in town.

South Woodstock



by
Andrea Wing

Buster and Claribel Poland had Donna and Dick Koshiba, Vicky and Ron Hill, Ricky,

Lisa, Megan, Jaymi and Randi Mack at their home on Christmas Eve. Refreshments and lunch were served and presents opened. On Christmas night Kenny, Sandra Poland and Kim and Shane Poland and Virginia Boyce paid them a visit and brought presents.

Margaret Tuell King from Binghamton, N.Y., is in the hospital. Margaret is Claribel Poland's sister. I, for one, am glad to see Christmas over, I enjoy seeing everyone but it's more fun to look forward to Christmas.

Sarah Hart and Phil Lynch spent New Year's Eve at the celebration in Portland.

Jim and Evelyn Dunn spent the night with Claribel and Buster Poland last week. They also paid me a visit the next day. They will be heading for Florida and on to Arizona and California soon to visit relatives and spend the rest of the winter with their daughter Patrice.

Happy Birthday to these people celebrating in January: Ann Buck,

Jane Chandler, James Gallagher, Vic Hart, Lisa Mack, Todd Poland, Stacy Tilley and Matt Moore.

Quote of the Week: "I've learned that middle age is when a woman's hair starts turning from gray to black."

Larry Billings, curator, Woodstock Historical Society reports that he has donated some silver to the museum.

Upton



by
Amy Geiling

Happy New Year! Hello snow! Upton has 10-12 inches of snow. Snowmobilers and cross-country skiers have been stopping at the store. The Bull Moose Campground and Lodge has lodged a few sportsmen this weekend. Gas should be ready soon. The Upton Trading Post now has shiners for ice fishing.

Hope everyone had a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. Sympathy is extended to the Robert Dapolito family for the loss of Bob's father.

Has everyone made their New Year's resolution? Mine is to go to bed earlier, no more NYPD Blue or those BaBa Walters' gossip shows after 10 p.m.

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by
Miriam Inman
On Tuesday,
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after spending the past 10 days with her mother, Sally Doughty.

Louie Coffin spent the holidays with her daughter Eleanor and husband Albert Hutchinson, returning home on Thursday.

Bill and Ginny Aridas returned to New York on Sunday.

The E.B. Forbes-Goodwill Group will meet on Tuesday, Jan. 14, at the home of Lettie and Carl Brooks. The meeting will begin at 10:30 a.m., followed by a potluck dinner.

Bryant Pond



by
Alice Hoyt

The Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens will hold their next meeting on Feb. 6 with a

potluck dinner and Edwin Howe showing a video from his Alaska trip. The January meeting was cancelled.

Jan. 13 will be installation of officers for Judith Grover Tent #17, Daughters of Union Veterans, with a supper before the meeting.

Sympathy is extended to the families of Bill Roberts and Donald Bennett of Locke Mills.

Ray and Shawn Crockett were overnight guests of their grandparents, Alice and Ken Hoyt, on Tuesday. Bob and Gwenn Hoyt visited their parents, Alice and Ken Hoyt, Sunday night to Tuesday night.

The Historical Society creates interest in Woodstock cultural

heritage. The members value your continued support in the New Year.

The Woodstock Historical Society is a center for historical and cultural studies. In addition to excellent exhibits, it has a respectable research library with books on many subjects. Officers of the museum are curator Larry Billings, assistant curator Louisa Noyes and registrar Kathleen McAllister.

The historical society is aware that progress is important, but it hopes people will continue to appreciate old values. The museum has many exhibits and papers relating to Woodstock.

Don't forget Ruby Emery's books on local history. The society is an outstanding organization of its kind in our area. Its exhibits are exceptional and its programs are remarkably good for a society its size. Curator Billings has donated several pieces of silver to the society. He has studied museums around the country and that helps him maintain this one. Next meeting is Jan. 11 with Ivan Morey speaking on his trip to Alaska.

Greenwood City



by
Colista Morgan

Christmas is a lovely time, green boughs, lighted candles, bright ornaments, holly

wreaths and more. It is not these things that set the day apart but the faith of a thousand years and a shining star.

So another Christmas and another year has gone.

In my mind I thought of my childhood, when I was blessed by a blanket of snow glistening on Christmas morning, which meant warm mittens and coats, new sleds and snowmen, while this year there was little snow, green lawns and some brown landscape. I even

heard, "Where have the White Christmases gone?"

But the fun and love inside were wonderful. I was very happy to be with relatives and friends who were so loving and thoughtful.

I can't begin to describe the dinner: the gorgeous ham and all the other things that best go with it. Every time a cover was removed from a dish it was sort of a miracle. And the coffee -- But I won't try to elaborate.

It was a glorious day at the farm and I came home to dream of a day I'll never forget.

There were 14 of us.

We were sad that Sally's father was so very ill and couldn't be with us, but it was nice to have her mother.

Dot Betts had several of her near neighbors for supper on Dec. 23. It was a sad Christmas time for Dot. We hope her neighbors being with her helped some.

Milton and Eleanor had their family at home Christmas Day.

I had several visitors during the week. Many of them were nephews and nieces, twelve in all.

Songo Pond



by
Alice Kimball

Health and happiness to all this New Year.

Bill and Phyllis Bancroft hosted a family Christ-

mas the Saturday before Christmas. Taking part were Paul and Judy Halle and son Gregory, their daughter Stephanie, and Brian and little daughter Abby from Lisbon Falls and Brunswick. Alta and Bruce Smith, daughters Elaine and Lisa, Betty and George Gilbert and Mrs. Grace Morrill were also callers.

On Saturday before Christmas Norma and Dave Salway drove to North Conway, N.H., where they

met Kassi and Bernie Gatchell and Kaitly. They all rode the Polar Express to the North Pole, a 45-minute train ride to a visit with Santa and the elves.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Folsom visited with Mrs. Celia Gorman at Ledgeview on Christmas Eve. They entertained over the Christmas holiday, her sister Mrs. Debbie Martin and family from Berlin, N.H., and her brother Donald Tanguay and family from Maryland. They also enjoyed skiing and skating.

The second little twin son of Danny and Paula Wheeler was able to come home to the rest of his family on Christmas Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Folsom are rejoicing over the birth of a new granddaughter born to Robert Folsom Jr. and wife of North Conway, N.H., on Nov. 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Gardner of Stoneham spent Christmas day with the Bill Bancrofts.

On New Year's Day with Dave and Norma Salway, we went to Old Orchard Beach to help Brandon celebrate his thirtieth milestone. Other guests were Bernie and Kassi and Kathy Gatchell of Portland and Bara Salway. Pizza, cake and ice cream were served.

A marriage may be made in heaven, but the maintenance must be done on earth.

East Stoneham



by
Eleanor Nelson

Hi readers:

When you read this it will be another year and a happy and healthy one is

wished for you and yours. It's time to put a clean, fresh calendar on the desk for January 1997. It will get filled up soon with birthdays and meetings, etc.

On Christmas Eve, the East Stoneham Church was filled, and

what a nice service and wonderful choir and music. Truly, people miss a lot when they don't go. There is a lot of thought and time represented there at the Candlelight Services as well as at other times.

On Christmas Day, we had our children and families for dinner, which totaled 15, and daughter Cheryl called us from Virginia.

Sharon Traish from Belmont, Mass., called on her aunt Frances Grant on Wednesday morning.

The Rev. Earl Bell was the substitute minister on Sunday at the North Waterford Church in the absence of the Rev. Janice Wilcox, who was away for a few days visiting her family.

We have good news that Charlie Merrill is gaining in health and might be in a regular hospital room after being in intensive care for so long. Any improvement is good news, and we hope you continue to gain, Charlie. Our prayers and thoughts are right there with you.

Young Johnny Files from South Paris spent the weekend visiting with his great-aunt Frances Grant and helped her with her chores. He had to go home Sunday as his wrestling team met on Monday.

The Stoneham Volunteer Firemen met Monday night with about 10 members present. Winners of the Booster Club drawing this night

were Sharon McAllister, Dana Gregson, Milton Barker, and Connie Shorey.

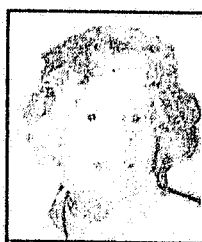
The family of Carroll and Pat Buck gathered together at the Stoneham Meeting Room at the Fire Station for their Christmas party, dinner and exchange of gifts under the pretty Christmas tree.

Albert Nelson Jr. was one of a group that went snowmobiling up through Errol, N.H., and to the Balsams. They found it to be OK but very icy in spots. They went about 50 miles.

Thelma Dadmun called on Grace Nelson at the Bridgton Health Care Center on Christmas Day and had a nice visit with her.

Say what you mean, mean what you say but don't say it mean! I like that. Happy New Year, everybody.

North Newry



by
Gil Seeley

Predictions for 1997, not to be taken too seriously.

Aries: Gain through occupa-

tion in Government career.
Gemini: Favorable for travel,
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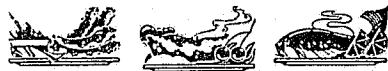
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The Newry Firemen Ladies Auxiliary will meet at the town building at 7 p.m.

The Newry Mothers Club will meet at the town building at 7:30 p.m., Jan. 13.

"Happy New Year everybody, and don't forget to laugh during 1997. Laughter is of therapeutic value. It pays a definite role in therapy. Laughter is definitely the relief of painful emotions."

May the New Year be healthy, prosperous and kind to everyone.

Locke Mills



by Lorraine Mills

The town is shocked and saddened by the sudden death of Bill Roberts, Sunday. The community offers its sincerest sympathy to Caroline and the rest of his family.

Two houses changed hands recently as Jim and Linda Ryan have bought the Cross home on Howe Hill from Lillian Cross. Linda is the daughter of Val and Caroline

Greene, who own the former Lapham home next door. Greg Erskine and Ann Fitzmorris have bought the Dennis Swan home on Rte. 26.

Ralph Mills spent Christmas week with his mother, Lorraine Mills, and Andy Larson at their house on the Knoll. While he was here he visited his aunt Carolyn Colby and his cousins Carl and Brian Colby and his aunts Mary and Marolyn Mills and his uncle Donald at their home in North Norway. He also worked on his camp and shed roof at his property in the Irish Neighborhood. He returned home Monday, Dec. 30 and took one of my fish, a kissing gourami, with him. The fish needed a bigger tank than I have. I tried to get him to take one of my cats, but that suggestion didn't go over very well. I can't imagine why.

Due to the fact I have not got in my column for a couple of weeks I have some back news. Mark Stearns of Bryant Pond and Barbara Beausage of Buckfield won the \$25 on weeks 19 and 20 respectively of the Greenstock Snowsports fundraiser. Drawing the three big prizes was Theresa Walker of the Frozen Logger and the big winner was Mary Gatchell of Bryant Pond. Her prize was \$750. Jack and Sue Cross of Bethel won the \$500 and Lindy Bartlett of Hanover won the \$250.

Last Friday Ralph Mills, Andy Larson and Lorraine Mills were in New Vineyard on business.

The lights on Mt. Abram are certainly a neat addition to the town. It sure makes everything bright and cheerful - now if the weather would only cooperate.

I was fortunate to be able to get to the Living Nativity this year, then took part in the evening Christmas service of the Nazarene Church. I also took part in the Christmas Eve candlelight service. Ralph and Andy also attended the Christmas Eve service.

Owen Brown took a week's vacation from Bob's Store during Christmas. Now that is news folks!

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School sports

Boys' Varsity Basketball

Georges Valley 72, Telstar 66

Jan. 4--Tony Buker scored 20 points for the Rebels in an overtime loss to Georges Valley. Jason Mullen had 16 points, Wade Luxton 10, Jason Berry and Sandon Morgan eight each, and Alan Russell two. Mullen and Luxton had three-point goals.

Mt. Abram 61, Telstar 53

Jan. 2--Jason Mullen led Telstar scoring with 19 points as the Rebels lost to Mt. Abram in overtime. Other scorers were Wade Luxton (9), Jason Berry (7), Tony Buker (7), Sandon Morgan (5), Jeremy Curley (2), Alan Russell (2) and Tim Hebert (2). Luxton had two three-point goals and Mullen one.

Girls' Varsity Basketball

Telstar 65, Lisbon 20

Jan. 6--Beth Howe was high scorer for Telstar in a win over Lisbon. Other scorers were Sarah Richardson (15); Sarah Seames (10); Erin Osgood (6); Emily Phillips (5); Jen Stevens (6).

Telstar 58, Livermore Falls 41

Jan. 2--Sarah Richardson had 14 points, Jen Stevens 13 and Jana Mason 12 as the Rebels beat Livermore Falls. Other scorers were Emily Phillips (7), Sarah Seames (4), Beth Howe (4), Erin Osgood (2) and Casey Brown (2). Phillips also had a three-point goal. "Our press and ability to go to the hoop were both factors in an easy win," said coach Ray Seames.



school lunch menu

WEEK OF JANUARY 13

SAD44 Breakfast Program

Monday: Bagel, cream cheese or jelly, fruit juice, milk.

Tuesday: Honey Bun, fruit or fruit juice, milk.

Wednesday: Cereal (assorted), toast, fruit cup or fruit juice, milk.

Thursday: Toast (2), fruit cup or fruit juice, milk.

Friday: Breakfast pizza, fruit juice, milk.

SAD44 Lunch Program

Monday: Chicken nuggets, honey cup, hash brown potato, veggie bar, fruit bar, milk.

Tuesday: Spaghetti w/meat sauce, bread sticks, broccoli cuts, mixed fruit, milk.

Wednesday: Pizza or ravioli, potato chips, green beans, pears, milk.

Thursday: Chili, fluffy white rice, hot biscuit, butter, garden peas, peaches, milk.

Friday: Chicken grill, roll, kernel corn, apples, milk.



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Boys' X-C Skiing

Jan. 4--Gould's Scot Sawyer skated to a first-place finish in a Mt. Valley H.S. five-kilometer freestyle race. Other Gould finishers included Joran Elias (fourth), Adrian Anderson (10th) and Preston Stowell (43rd). The Gould team took third in the 16-school event.

Boys' Alpine Skiing

MVHS 16, Telstar 45, Fryeburg 59, OHHS 70, Greely 77

Jan. 2--Sam Sayen finished seventh as the Rebels came in second as a team in a Black Mt. Giant Slalom race. He was followed by Tim Adams (10th), Matt Koskela (12th) and Grayson Wakefield (16th), to complete the scoring for Telstar. Jason Billings finished 19th in the 48-racer event. "They've worked hard," coach Beth LaVallee said of both the boys' and girls' teams. "It was a very positive start to the season."

Gould individual results

Brett Harvey of Bethel finished 24th in a slalom race at Burke Mt. on Dec. 31. In another slalom competition at Sugarloaf Jan. 1, Harvey placed 21st. Gould racer Drew Drummond of Freedom, N.H. took third in the same race.

Girls' Alpine Skiing

Fryeburg 30, MVHS 34, Telstar 43, OHHS 44, Greely 67

Jan. 2--Malinda Gilbert took third, as did the Rebel team, in a GS race at Black Mt. She was followed by Gail Aloisio (11th), Vicky Coolidge (12th), and Toni Vacca (17th), to complete the Telstar scoring in the 30-racer competition.

Gould individual results

Jan. 1--Gould skiers took the top three spots in a slalom race at Sugarloaf: first, Christa Goodman; second, Caroline Riss; and third, Abigail Lefebvre.

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East Millinocket 112 Main St., 557-0066
Ellsworth 240 State Street, 592-5670

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36 Feed the kitty

39 Zagreb native

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43 Part 2 of remark

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51 Hold the title

52 Military command

53 Wishes undone

54 Wolsey's successor

55 Shriner's chapeau

56 Orchestra section

57 Wide-mouthed pliers

59 It suits some

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78 Outer limits

81 Permission

82 Tarzan, for one

84 Stringed instrument

86 Across accessory

87 Melodious

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90 Take advantage of

91 Computer acronym

92 Part 4 of remark

96 Classical physician

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98 Word with fry or freeze

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101 Medicine-show

103 Frequent traveler?

106 Scone smear

109 Inventive sort?

110 Highlander's hat

113 "Birds — leather —"

114 End of remark

120 Env. abbr.

121 Easy as —

122 Britten's "Peter —"

123 Legendary

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125 Affirmative vole

126 You'll get a rise out of it

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45 Walk confidently

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50 Autry or Wilder

54 Man of rare gifts?

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65 Ophelia's love

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69 "Song of the South" uncle

70 Fresno fruit

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112 Kid's creation?

115 Literary preposition

116 Acapulco aunt

117 Morning hrs.

118 Badminton divider

119 "Flying Down to —"

Community Calendar

Activities

PLEASE NOTE: Books borrowed from Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond, may be dropped off at the Woodstock Town Office.

Wednesday, Jan. 8, 11 a.m.—Bethel Senior Citizens Club will meet at Jackson-Silver Legion Hall in Locke Mills for dinner (\$6), meeting and entertainment.

The Franco-American Woodcarver: An Artist's Demonstration featuring Andre Belanger will be offered at Northern Forest Heritage Park, Berlin, N.H. Free and open to the public. For more information call 603-752-7202.

Friday, Jan. 10, The Seventh Day Adventist Church will accept orders for tree-ripened tangelos, navel oranges and pink grapefruit for delivery Monday, Jan. 20. For more information, or to place an order, call 539-4483, 539-8586, or 743-5419.

A chemical-free Barefoot Bogie will be held at The Ballroom, Harrison, from 7:30 to 11:30 p.m. (\$3 at door, under 12 free). Proceeds to benefit A Space for Rhythm & Movement. For more information call 743-2423 or 647-8503.

The Katahdin String Quartet will perform at 7:30 p.m. at Nordica Auditorium at University of Maine at Farmington. Adults, \$7; children under 13, \$2. Sponsored by Arts Institute of Western Maine.

Saturday, Jan. 11, 4 to 7 p.m.—Public Roast Beef Supper (roast beef, potato, veggies, homemade biscuits and desserts) at Rock-O-Dundee Riders Club House in East Oxford. Adults, \$5; children, \$2.50. Take-outs available.

Therapeutic Massage (824-3889) 2 Broad Street, Bethel, will offer "Women at the Change of Life" in two sessions (8:30 a.m. to noon and 12:30 to 4 p.m.). Sign in and a warm beverage at 8 to 8:30 a.m., bag lunch and conversation at noon (BYO beverages provided). Cost: Sliding fee based on ability to pay. Join the providers for either a half day or the entire program.

Old-time dance, 8 p.m. to midnight, at Locke Mills Town Hall, sponsored by Greenwood Historical Society.

Thomas Kubinek, Certified Lunatic and Master of the Impossible, will perform at the Summit Hotel in Sunday River Ski Resort at 7 p.m. The performance is part of the Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series. Tickets in advance are: adults, \$8; under 12, \$6; at the door: adults, \$10; under 12, \$8. Call 824-3575 for reservations or more information.

Sunday, Jan. 12—Ski Fest '97 at Sunday River Cross Country Ski Center. Free beginner lessons, ski games, sleigh rides, equipment demos, puppet show, ski touring, face painting, prize drawings. Family fun for all.

Open House from 12 noon to 3 p.m. at the new Bear River Fire Station in Newry.

Saturday, Jan. 18, 5:30 p.m.—First Annual Gould Academy-Sunday River Snow Ball in Grand Ballroom, Summit Hotel and Conference Center, Sunday River. A gala event including a silent auction and sit-down dinner with dancing to a six-piece band playing the hits of the '60s, '70s and '80s. Tickets: \$25 per person. Only 350 tickets available. For reservations call 824-7707.

Saturday, Feb. 1, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.—"Moving with Ease" will be offered by Therapeutic Massage, 2 Broad Street, Bethel (824-3889). Cost: \$8.

Church Services

Bethel

West Parish Congregational—Rev. Brendon Bass and Rev. Jean Bass, 10:30 a.m. worship and Sunday School. Nursery care provided. Prayer, Monday, 8 a.m.

Church of the Nazarene—Rev. John Grant, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school, 10:30 a.m. morning worship, 6 p.m. evening service.

Our Lady of the Snows—Rev. Lawrence Conley, Mass—Saturday, 4:30 p.m.

Bethel Alliance Church—Rev. Richard Mowery, 9 a.m. Sunday school, 10 a.m. worship service, 6 p.m. evening service.

United Methodist—Rev. Henry S. Nickerson, Pastor, 4:30 p.m. Saturday worship service; 10 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School. Nursery care provided.

West Bethel Union—Pastor Joyce Scott, 9 a.m. worship and church school.

Pleasant Valley Bible—Pastor Clifford McMullen, 9 a.m. Sunday school, 10 a.m. worship.

Episcopal House Church—at Bohrs' on 38 Chapman Street, 4 p.m., third Sunday of each month (Dec. service at 5:15) 824-2913.

Church of Christ—at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mill Road (Rt. 26), Bethel. Worship at 10 a.m. Sunday, Bible study at 11 a.m. 824-3577.

Woodstock

Bryant Pond Baptist—Rev. Linwood Hanson, 9:15 a.m. Sunday school, 10:30 a.m. worship service, 6 p.m. evening service.

Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist—Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school, 11 a.m. worship service.

Andover

First Congregational Church—

Monthly Meetings

Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group, Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer Street, West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3961.

First Monday: Newry Community Ladies' Circle, 12:30 p.m. V.F.W., Lions' Hall, Bethel, 7 p.m. 824-2587.

First and Third Monday: Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Second Monday: Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m. Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, J. Grover Tent #17, Bryant Pond, JR Grange Hall, 7 p.m. For more info. call 665-2460.

Second and fourth Monday: SAD44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at 7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for meeting place.

The Gilead Fire Department meets at the Fire Station at 7 p.m.

Bethel Airport Authority, 7 p.m. Call town office for meeting place in Feb. and March.

Every Monday: Mahosuc Music Makers rehearsal, 7-9 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church.

Grief group (for the loss of a loved one) meets from 6-8 p.m. in the conference room of the Bethel Area Health Center.

First Tuesday: Woodstock Planning Board meets at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

First and Third Tuesday: Woodstock Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 5 p.m.

The Greater Rumford Alliance for the Mentally Ill-Children and Adolescent Network (GRAMICAN) Support, education and advocacy. Meets in the former St. John's rectory from 6:30-8 p.m. in Rumford. Contact Diane at 369-0542.

The Bethel Lions Club meets at the Lions Den on Main Street at 7 p.m.

Second Tuesday: Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m. Supper starts at 6:30 p.m.

Telstar Alumni Association meets at 6:30 p.m. at the Telstar Library.

Second and Fourth Tuesday: Woodstock Planning Board meets at 7 p.m.

Third Tuesday: Pine Tree Legal Assistance at Bethel Area Health Center, starting at 10 a.m.

Every Tuesday: Bethel Rotary Club meets at The Bethel Inn, 7:30 a.m.

Greenwood Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Andover Board of Selectmen meets at the Town office, 7 p.m.

Newry Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 9 a.m.

Cross-Country Quilters meet at the Bethel Library from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.

First Wednesday: Purity Chapter 102, OES, 6:30 supper, 7:30 meeting.

Greenwood Historical Society meets at the Society Building, Main St., Locke Mills, 7:30 p.m.

Gilead selectmen meet at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Bethel Area Arachnes Spinning Group, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church. Potluck luncheon.

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

Bethel Library: Monday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-5 p.m., 6-8 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 4-8 p.m.; Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Story Hour for preschoolers, Thursday, 10-11 a.m. (September through May). Michelle Conroy, Librarian.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tuesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. - 8 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.

Upton Public Library: First and third Thursday of each month, 6:30-8 p.m.

Reach

Rape Ed. and Crisis Hotline 1-800-622-2365. Sexual abuse helpline, 743-9777. Past or present victims of abuse.

Exchanges

District Exchange—Open every Monday 1-4 p.m., Thursday, 4-6 p.m. and the first Saturday of each month from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Ethel Bisbee School, Bethel. Clothing on sale, food available for those in need.

Abused Women's Advocacy Project

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5806; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2927.

Veterans' Services (State/VA Benefits)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9 to 12 a.m.; Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday, 9 to 12 a.m.; Lewiston (795-4590), 200 Main St., 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday thru Friday.

Safe Hangouts

After school safe hangout in the multi-purpose room of the United Methodist Church in Bethel from

Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen office or mailed in or phoned in at 824-2444.

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THURSDAY EVENING JANUARY 9, 1997											
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(3)	Seinfeld	Mad-You	Movie: "Company Business"				News	Martin	Mad-You	Real TV	
(5)	Wallons		Highway to Heaven		Rescue 911		700 Club		Carson	Carson	
6	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Friends	Single Guy	Seinfeld	Suddenly	3rd Rock	Frasier	News		
8	Fortune	Jeopardyl	High Incident		Murder One		Junk Science; Not So		News		
10	News-Lehrer		Maine.	Maine	Mysteryl		Love Hurts		Manor Born	Red Green	
(11)	Sportsctr.	College Basketball: Illinois at Michigan				College Basketball: Michigan State at Wisconsin					Sportsctr.
(12)	Dukes of Hazzard		Championship Rodeo		Prime Time Country		Today's Country		Dallas		
13	Ent. Tonight	Real TV	Diagnosis Murder		Moloney		48 Hours		News		
(14)	Celics	Auto Race	Auto Racing		Cycle World		Bowling: ABC World Team Challenge		Planet X		
(15)	"Nobody's Fool" Cont'd		Movie: "Forrest Gump"					First Look	Inside the NFL		
(17)	Movie: "Balto"		Movie: "Little House on the Prairie"				Inside Out	Avonlea		Gene Kelly	
(18)	"Short Circuit 2" Cont'd		Movie: "Crosscut"				Movie: "The Silencers"				
(20)	Front Row	NHL Hockey: Montreal Canadiens at Boston Bruins					College Basketball: USC at California				
(21)	HopeGlori	Designing	Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Lady Killer"				Living	Mysteries	
(22)	Videos	Videos	Movie: "The Lost Boys"				Movie: "The Omen"				
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Alex Mack	Happy D	I Love Lucy	Munsters	M.T. Moore	Rhoda	Taxi	Odd Couple	
(25)	"Jane Eyre" Cont'd		Movie: "To Each His Own"				Movie: "Suspicion"				
(26)	Highlander: The Series		Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "The Hard Way"				Silk Stalkings		
(27)	Equalizer		Biography				Unexplained	Law & Order			
(32)	Sign-Off Cont'd										
(34)	Fam. Mat.	Bzzz!	Movie: "Robin Hood"				News		Wiseguy		
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Prime News	Politics	Larry King Live		World Today		Sports Illus.	Moneyline	

FRIDAY EVENING JANUARY 10, 1997											
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(3)	Seinfeld	Mad-You	Moesha	Homeboys	Burning Zone		News	Martin	Mad-You	Real TV	
(5)	Waltons		Highway to Heaven		Rescue 911		700 Club		Carson	Carson	
(6)	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Unsolved Mysteries		Dateline		Homicide: Life		News		
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Fam. Mat.	Boy-World	Sabrina	Clueless	20/20		News		
(10)	News-Lehrer		Wash. Wk.	Wall St.	Keeping Up	Mr. Bean	Wait God	'Allo, 'Allo!	Served	Red Green	
(11)	Sportsctr.	SuperBowl	Billiards		Boxing: Buster Douglas vs. Rocky Pepeli				Sportscenter		
(12)	Dukes of Hazzard		Auto Racing: Monster Truck Challenge I					Dallas			
(13)	Ent. Tonight	Real TV	Dave's	Raymond	JAG		Nash Bridges		News		
(14)	NBA Basketball: New York Knicks at Boston Celtics					NBA Action	Celtics	Players	Football	Pro Football	
(15)	Inside the NFL		Movie: "Money Train"				Movie: "Natural Enemy"				
(17)	Close Encounters -- Special Ed.				Movie: ""batteries not included"				Movie: "The Black Hole"		
(18)	Stuart Saves His Family	Children of the Corn III: Urban Harvest			Movie: "Vampire in Brooklyn"						
(20)	AHL Hockey: Portland Pirates at Providence Bruins						FOX Sports News		FOX Sports News		
(21)	HopeGlori	Designing	Intimate Portrait		Movie: "White Mile"				Living	Mysteries	
(22)	Videos	Videos	Movie: "The War of the Roses"					Movie: "Real Men"			
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Kablam!	Happy D	I Love Lucy	Munsters	M.T. Moore	Rhoda	Taxi	Odd Couple	
(25)	Big Jim	Hollywood	Movie: "The Left-Handed Gun"				Movie: "By the Light of the Silvery Moon"				
(26)	Highlander: The Series		Renegade		Movie: "Big Business"				Big Easy		
(27)	Equalizer		Biography		Movie: "Robin and the Seven Hoods"				Law & Order		
(32)	Sign-Off Cont'd										
(34)	Fam. Mat.	Bzzz!	Hercules-Jrny.		Xena: Warrior Princess		H'mooner	H'mooner	News	H'mooner	
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Prime News	Politics	Larry King Live		World Today		Sports Illus.	Moneyline	

SATURDAY EVENING JANUARY 11, 1997											
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3)	Seinfeld	Mad-You	NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at New York Knicks					M*A*S'H	Star Trek: Voyager		
(5)	Super Bloopers & Jokes	Movie: "All the Right Moves"					Movie: "McHale's Navy"				
(6)	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Dark Skies		Pretender		Profiler		News	Sat. Night	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Blank Check"				Relativity		News	Psi Factor	
(10)	Maine	True North	Pallisers		Movie: "The Scarlet Pimpernel"			Blackadder	Detectives	Detectives	
(11)	Sportscr.	College Basketball: North Carolina at Virginia			College Basketball: Colorado at Texas Tech			Sportscr.			
(12)	Hee Haw	Opry		Grand Opry		Stallar Bros.		Bill Gaither: Sing Blues	Opry	Grand Opry	
(13)	Star Trek: Deep Space 9	Medicine Woman		Early Edition			Walker, Texas Ranger		News		
(14)	Hoops USA	College Basketball: Connecticut at Georgetown				Players		Pro Football	Adventure	Snowboard	Board Wild
(15)	Movie: "Ghost" Cont'd				Movie: "Dead Silence"				Boxing		
(17)	Movie: "The Brave Little Toaster"			Yogi Bear and the Spruce Goose			Duck for Hire		Beneath Planet of Apes		
(18)	"Peggy Sue Got Married"			Movie: "Desperado"			Movie: "Fair Game"		GoodGirl		
(20)	Hockey Wk. NHL Hockey: Boston Bruins at Montreal Canadiens							Sports	FOX Sports News		
(21)	"Betrayed by Love"		Movie: "Child of Rage"				Traders		Stand-Up Showcase		
(22)	WCW Saturday Night		Movie: "Dirty Harry"				Movie: "Chisum"				
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	KenanKel	All That	Shelby Woo	Kablam!	I Love Lucy	Lucy and Desi	Happy D		
(25)	Movie: "Captain Horatio Hornblower"				WENN	Movie: "Loving You"		"The Perfect Furlough"			
(26)	Lost-Earth	Duckman	Movie: "Pure Luck"				Movie: "Praying Mantis"				
(27)	Mysteries of the Bible		Biography This Week		Investigative Reports		American Film Institute Salute to Clint Eastwood				
(32)	Sign-Off Cont'd										
(34)	Fam. Mat.	Riches	Bulls Eye	NBA Basketball: Houston Rockets at Chicago Bulls				News		"Fortress"	
(39)	Capital	Politics	Prime News	Sports Illus.	Larry King Weekend	World Today		CNN/Sports Illustrated			

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Bethel Selectmen's Meetings

On weeks in which the Bethel selectmen meet (usually the weeks of the first and third Mondays in the month) the meetings will be televised on Channel IV. The broadcasts will normally be at 7 p.m. on Friday, but schedule modifications will occasionally be necessary, so please check the on-air calendar for up-to-date information.

Broadcast of the selectmen's meeting is a cooperative effort of Channel IV and The Bethel Citizen.

SUNDAY EVENING JANUARY 12, 1997										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Movie: "Airborne"				Viper		News	M*A*S*H	Babylon 5	
(5)	Movie: "Columbo: It's All in the Game"				Movie: "While My Pretty One Sleeps"			Remington Steele		
6	Dateline		3rd Rock	Men-Badly	Movie: "87th Precinct: Heatwave"			News	Outer Limits	
8	Lois & Clark-Superman		Videos	Videos	Movie: "Touched by Evil"			News	Paid Prog.	
10	National Geographic		Nature		Masterpiece Theatre		Britannia: Palace at Sea	"The Philadelphia Story"		
(11)	Sportsctr.	NFL	NHL Hockey: New Jersey Devils at New York Rangers					Sportscenter		
(12)	In-Fish	Bill Dance	Bass	Back Road	Championship Rodeo		Raceday	NHRA	Trucks	Road
13	60 Minutes		Touched by an Angel		People's Choice Awards			News		
(14)	Wm. Basketball		NHL Hockey: Hartford Whalers at Edmonton Oilers				Hockey Wk.		NBA Action	
(15)	Movie: "The Net" Cont'd		Movie: "Stand by Me"			Movie: "Broken Arrow"			Sanders	
(17)	Movie: "Cinderella"		Mickey	Inside Out	Avonlea	Movie: "Breaking Away"				
(18)	"Modern Problems"		Movie: "Mo' Money"			Movie: "Braveheart"				
(20)	Skiing	Skiing	Skiing USA	Snowboard	Luge	Winter	FOX Sports News		FOX Sports News	
(21)	Bloodlines		Movie: "Black Widow"			Intimate Portrait			One West Waikiki	
(22)	National Geographic Explorer				Figure Skating: Elvis on Ice			National Geo.		
(24)	My Brother	Monsters	Wubbulous	Peace	Happy D	Munsters	Odd Couple	Taxi	Van Dyke	Newhart
(25)	Day-Bad	Attractions	Movie: "South Pacific"				"The Seven Year Itch"			
(26)	Claude	Weird Sci.	Pacific Blue		Silk Stalkings		Big Easy		Silk Stalkings	
(27)	Ancient Mysteries		Floating Palaces			America's Castles			Best of Comic Relief	
(32)	Sign-Off Cont'd									
(34)	Brotherly	Nick Freno	Parent	Harvey	Unhappily	With Roger	News	Replay	Night Court	Sinbad
(39)	Capital	Crossfire	Prime News	Sports Illus.	CNN Presents		World Today		Sports Illus.	NBA Wk.

MONDAY EVENING JANUARY 13, 1997										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Mad-You	In House	Malcolm	Sparks	Goode Beh.	News	Martin	Mad-You	Real TV
(5)	Waltons		Highway to Heaven	Rescue 911			700 Club		Carson	Carson
(6)	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Foxworthy	Mr. Rhodes	Movie: "Home Invasion"				News	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dangerous Minds	Movie: "Close to Danger"				News		
(10)	News-Lehrer		True North	Eyewitness	Going Places		Ice Cream Show		Manor Born	Red Green
(11)	Sportsctr.	College Basketball: Georgetown at Boston College			College Basketball: Iowa State at Kansas				Sportsctr.	
(12)	Dukes of Hazzard	Today's Country		Prime Time Country	Women of Country			Dallas		
(13)	Ent. Tonight	Real TV	Cosby	Ink	Murphy	Cybill	Chicago Hope	News		
(14)	College Basketball: Dayton at Temple			ABL Basketball: Atlanta Glory at Seattle Reign				Boxing: Heavyweight		
(15)	Grumpier	Testament	Movie: "Virtuosity"				Real Sports		Comedy Hour: Bill Maher	
(17)	Movie: "Splash"			Movie: "Splash, Too"				American Teacher Awards		
(18)	Movie: "I.Q." Cont'd		Movie: "Tommy Boy"			Movie: "The Dark Dancer"			Out-Justice	
(20)	Front Row	NHL Hockey: Ottawa Senators at Boston Bruins					Front Row	FOX Sports News		
(21)	HopeGlori	Designing	Unsolved Mysteries	Movie: "China Moon"				Intimate Portrait		
(22)	Videos	Videos	Movie: "Body Language"				Movie: "Personals"			
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Hey Arnold!	Happy D	I Love Lucy	Munsters	M.T. Moore	Rhoda	Taxi	Odd Couple
(25)	Movie: "Blue Steel"		Movie: "Dallas"							
			Movie: "Auntie Mame"							
(26)	Highlander: The Series		WWF Monday Night Raw	Renegade			La Femme Nikita		Silk Stalkings	
(27)	Equalizer		Biography			Poirot		Miss Marple		Law & Order
(32)	Sign-Off Cont'd									
(34)	Fam. Mat.	Bzzz!	7th Heaven		Savannah		News		Wiseguy	
(39)	Movie/line		On Menu	Prime News	Politics	Larry King Live	World	Route '97	Sports Illus.	Movie/line

Comedian Thomas Kubinek to perform

On Saturday, Jan. 11, Sunday River Ski Resort's Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series will host Canadian performer Thomas Kubinek. Curtain time is 7 p.m. in the Grand Ballroom of the Summit Hotel. Tickets for this family event are \$6 for children (12 and under) and adults, \$8 and \$10 at the door. Tickets may be purchased on-mountain at the Welcome Center, the Snow Cap Inn and the Summit Hotel or at Preb's Pharmacy in Bethel. For more information, please call 824-3375.

Kubinek is a clown with a rubber face, a magician with lightning sleight-of-hands skills, a comic with perfect timing, an acrobat with rubber legs, and a guy with very funny hair.

Kubinek, who, as a child, fled with his family when the Soviets invaded his native Czechoslovakia, has been based in Canada ever since, but his show has a universal appeal. This is partly because he uses, the art of mime, and visual acts such as magic, juggling and acrobatics. Add to this the fact that he is a natural storyteller who establishes an immediate rapport with the audiences, whether young or old, and you have the makings of a star performer. Like all great clowns, he employs an element of pathos; is the clumsy, but essentially gentle oaf who drops things and falls over, the magician whose tricks don't work (at any rate the first time around). He takes the commonplace, such as cleaning his teeth and transports it to the realm of the ridiculous. Kubinek puts on a show that is equal part old-time clowning and Monty Pythonesque silliness.

His exuberant one-man show has charmed audiences of all ages throughout North America, Australia and Europe. Walt Disney World's New Vaudeville Festival says "Completely magical ... you've never seen anything like this." London, England's Time Out Magazine calls him "Hilarious and enormously talented!"

SCORE COURSE

Western Mountains SCORE will sponsor "Help Yourself Business Basics," a 20-hour course for entrepreneurs, new and established.

NOVA will offer this course in its Adult Education program, beginning Jan. 28 in 10 two-hour sessions at Mt. Valley High School. The course will be taught by members of SCORE, coordinated by NOVA, and supported by Fleet Bank without whose financial support the new course would not have been published.

The course fee of \$45 includes the textbook, class materials and the NOVA registration fee. To register for this series of workshops or for information contact NOVA at 364-2012. Registration fee must be paid to NOVA by the starting date to participate. Class limited to 16.

Obituaries (Continued)

ALICE I. ROBERTS

Alice I. (Felt) Roberts, 84, of Howe Hill Road, Locke Mills, died early Sunday morning, Jan. 5, 1997, at Ledgeview Nursing Home.

Born at Woodstock on March 5, 1912, the daughter of Albert N. and Mary E. Brooks Felt, she attended Woodstock schools and graduated from Woodstock High School.

Mrs. Roberts was married to Wendell Roberts. A homemaker by vocation, she had at different times been associated with Bob's Corner Store and Tebbets Spool Mill, both of Locke Mills, and also did house cleaning.

She was a member of Franklin Grange 124 of Bryant Pond for over a half century.

Survivors include four daughters, Florence Seames, Elsie Seames, and Lenora Cole, all of Greenwood and Marilyn Howe of Woodstock; five sons, Leslie of Norway, Albert of Woodstock, James of Fryeburg, Carl of Danville and Duane of Greenwood; one sister, Marion Strout of Mechanic Falls; two brothers, Linwood Felt of Winthrop and Richard Felt of Woodstock; 21 grandchildren; 29 great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by three sons, Stanley, Philip and Kenneth and a brother, Lester Felt.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, Jan. 8, at 11 a.m. at Andrews Funeral Home, South Woodstock, with Pastor Roland Lord officiating. Interment will be at Mt. Abram Cemetery, Locke Mills, in the spring. Friends who wish may make donations to

Androscoggin Home Health, P.O. Box 308, Norway, ME 04268.

ROBERT F. WALTON

Robert F. Walton, 83, died Sunday, Jan. 5, 1997, at the Dixfield Health Care Center. He was a lifelong resident of Dixfield.

Mr. Walton was born in Dixfield on Sept. 7, 1913, the son of Merice and Lottie (Robertson) Walton.

He was married for many years to the late Marion Bishop Walton, who died in February 1970 in Portland. He married Mary MacNeill, who survives, on Oct. 18, 1970, in Dixfield.

A mechanic for over 45 years, he worked at Morrison's Motors in Mexico for over 18 years and then for Timberlands in Dixfield for over 27 years until he retired in 1978. He and his wife Mary then worked at their own logging operation for 11 years when he retired again in 1989. He was an AA member for over 39 years and was the oldest member of the Rumford AA group. He loved the outdoors, especially working in the woods.

Survivors besides his wife include one daughter, Mrs. Clayton (Ruth) Davis of Mexico; three sons, Francis and his wife Ann Walton of Sterling, Va., Allen and his wife Barbara Walton of Boothbay, Larry and his wife Cathy Walton of Greenwood; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Joseph (Martha) Cronin of Andover; two stepsons, Steven and his wife Cheryl Knox of Canton, Randall Knox of San Rafael, Calif.; two brothers, Harold Walton of Waterville and Lester Walton of Norway; 15 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by a son, Robert Francis Walton Jr.; a daughter, Linda Walton; and a great-grandson, Joseph Dolloff.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, Jan. 8, at 2 p.m. at Meader & Son Funeral Home in Rumford with the Rev. Ronald Ashworth officiating. Interment will be at Lakeview Cemetery, Wilton, in the spring. Those who desire, please contribute to the American Cancer Society, 52 Federal Street, Brunswick, ME 04011, in his memory.

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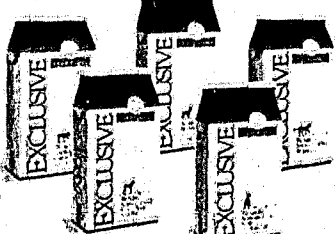
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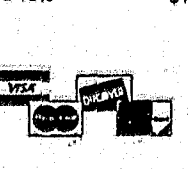


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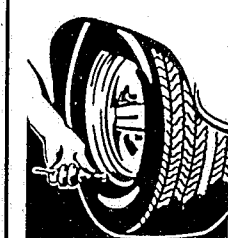
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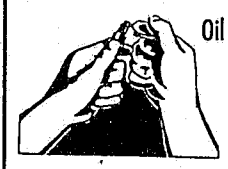


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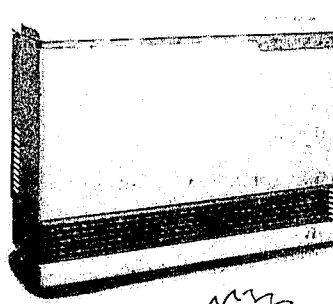
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1993 GMC Sonoma Ext Cab 4x4 P/U 6 cyl, auto, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, anti-lock brakes, alum wheels, cloth int, two tone, bedliner. Clean Truck! White. \$280.77 mo Sale price \$12,500. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11.5% APR for 60 months.	1993 Chevy 1500 Sportside 4x4 8 cyl, 350, auto, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, anti-lock rear brakes, alum wheels, cloth int, two tone, bedliner. Silverado pkg, blue/blue. \$325.64 mo Sale price \$15,500. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11.5% APR for 60 months.	1993 Chevy 1500 P/U 8 cyl, auto, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, anti-lock rear brakes, alum wheels, cloth int, two tone, bedliner. Silverado pkg, blue/blue. \$264.92 mo Sale price \$11,800. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11.5% APR for 60 months.	1993 Ford F150 w/Plow 4x4 6 cyl, 5 spd, am/fm, anti-lock rear brakes, bedliner, dual fuel tanks, Fisher Plow, gray. \$308.84 mo Sale price \$12,950. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11.5% APR for 60 months.	1992 Isuzu Rodeo 4x4 4dr, 6 cyl, 5spd, a/c, am/fm, cass, sun roof anti-lock rear brakes, alum wheels, cloth int. Black. \$268.78 mo Sale price \$10,975. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 48 months.
1992 Geo Tracker Conv. 4x4 4 cyl, auto, am/fm, cass, styled wheels, cloth int, only 28k miles, blue. \$227.31 mo Sale price \$9,000. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 48 months.	1992 Chevy 1500 WT P/U 6 cyl, 5 spd, am/fm, anti-lock brakes, cloth int, bedliner, red, only 28k mi \$215.46 mo Sale price \$9,950. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 48 months.	1992 Chevy 1500 Ext. Cab 4x4 P/U 6 cyl, 5 spd, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, anti-lock rear brakes, alum wheels, cloth int, bedliner. Silverado. A must see truck! White. \$291.83 mo Sale price \$11,800. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 48 months.	1992 Chevy 1500 P/U 6 cyl, 5spd, a/c, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, anti-lock rear brakes, alum wheels, cloth int, Silverado, blue/silver. \$268.78 mo Sale price \$10,975. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 48 months.	1992 GMC 1500 4x4 6 cyl, auto, am/fm, cass, rear anti-lock brakes, cloth int, blue \$256.28 mo Sale price \$10,500 Pmt: \$800 cash down or trade at 12% APR for 48 months.
1992 Ford Explorer 4x4 4dr, 6 cyl, auto, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, anti-lock brakes, alum wheels, cloth int, two tone. Nice and Clean! Silver. \$369.51 mo Sale price \$14,800. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 48 months.	1992 Dodge Dakota LE PU 6 cyl, auto, a/c, am/fm, cass, styled wheels, cloth int, 2-tone, bedliner, rear sliding window, clean truck! Gray/Silver. \$214.80 mo Sale price \$9,925. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 48 months.	1992 Ford Ranger Ex-Cab 4x4 P/U 6 cyl, 5spd, am/fm, cass, anti-lock rear brakes, alum wheels, cloth int, bedliner, rear sliding window, XLT, maroon. \$237.33 mo Sale price \$9,875. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 48 months.	1992 Toyota 4x4 P/U 4 cyl, 5 spd, am/fm, alum wheels, cloth int, rear sliding window, only 48k miles, nice truck! White. \$268.13 mo Sale price \$10,550. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 48 months.	1992 Chevy 1500 4x4 P/U 6 cyl, 5spd, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, anti-lock rear brakes, alum wheels, cloth int, Silverado, blue/silver. \$276.36 mo Sale price \$10,975. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 48 months.
1991 Isuzu Trooper 4x4 4dr, 6 cyl, auto, a/c, cloth int, styled wheels, blue. \$215.46 mo Sale price \$9,950. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade for 48 months.	1990 Chevy S-10 Blazer 4x4 4dr, 5 spd, a/c, cloth int, styled wheels, blue, brown. \$194.46 mo Sale price \$7,950. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 48 months.	1990 Ford Ranger Ex-Cab 4x4 6 cyl, 5spd, anti-lock rear brakes, alum. whis., cloth int, bedliner, am/fm, blue. \$221.53 mo Sale price \$8,950. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 48 months.	1990 GMC 2500 4x4 P/U 8 cyl, auto, am/fm, cass, styled wheels, cloth int, rear sliding window, black \$276.36 mo Sale price \$10,975. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 48 months.	1992 Ford F150 4x4 P/U 6 cyl, 5spd, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, cloth int, blue/blue. \$143.43 mo Sale price \$4,950. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 14.25% APR for 36 months.
1988 Ford F150 4x4 P/U 6 cyl, 5spd, tilt, cruise, am/fm, auto-lock rear brakes, cloth int, dual fuel tanks, rear sliding window. Only 50K miles, brown. \$256.62 mo Sale price \$9,950. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 14.25% APR for 36 months.	1988 Ford F150 w/plow 4x4 P/U 6 cyl, 5spd, am/fm, anti-lock rear brakes, bedliner, dual fuel tanks, rear sliding window. Only 50K miles, brown. \$243.76 mo Sale price \$7,875. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 14.25% APR for 36 months.	1988 Ford F150 Ext Cab P/U 6 cyl, 5spd, am/fm, cass, anti-lock rear brakes, alum wheels, cloth int, bedliner. 65 k miles, blue/white. \$246.33 mo Sale price \$7,950. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 14.25% APR for 36 months.	1988 Ford F250 8 cyl, 5spd, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, anti-lock rear brakes, bedliner, dual fuel tanks, rear sliding window, only 70K miles, blue. \$210.32 mo Sale price \$6,950. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 14.25% APR for 36 months.	1988 Jeep Wrangler Laredo 4x4 6 cyl, auto, a/c, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, alum wheels, cloth int. 87K mi, Fun, Fun, Fun. Maroon \$263.48 mo Sale price \$9,450. Pmt: \$800 at 14.25% APR for 36 months.

DEAL OF THE WEEK!

1994 Hyundai Accent
4 dr, 4 cyl, 5 spd, am/fm, dual air bags, cloth int. Only 7,000 miles. Dusty rose.
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1996 Chevy Corsica 4dr, 4 cyl, auto, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, driver's air bag, anti-lock brakes, cloth int, gray. \$218.85 mo Sale price \$9,450. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 10.5% APR for 60 months.	1995 Neon Highline 4dr, 4 cyl, 5spd, a/c, am/fm, dual air bag, cloth int. Only 7K miles. Green. \$188.76 mo Sale price \$9,450. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11% APR for 60 months.	1995 Ford Escort 2 dr, 4 cyl, 5 spd, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, dual air bags, alum wheels, cloth int. Just like new! Only 15K miles. Green. \$200.82 mo Sale price \$9,450. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11% APR for 60 months.
1995 Buick Skylark 4dr, 6 cyl, auto, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, driver's air bag, anti-lock brakes, styled wheels, cloth int. Nice car, green. \$219.20 mo Sale price \$10,850. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11% APR for 60 months.	1995 Chevy Beretta 2 dr, 4 cyl, auto, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, anti-lock brakes, cloth int, black. Only 19K miles. \$220.20 mo Sale price \$10,800. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11% APR for 60 months.	1995 Eagle Summit 2dr, 4 cyl, 5spd, cloth int, green. \$145.28 mo Sale price \$7,450. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11% APR for 60 months.
1993 Ford Escort Wgn 4 cyl, 5 spd, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, cloth int. Only 55K miles, roof rack, red. \$133.61 mo Sale price \$6,950. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11.75% APR for 60 months.	1993 Pontiac Grand Am 4 Dr 4 cyl, auto, a/c, p/ locks, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, anti-lock brakes, cloth int, maroon. \$195.81 mo Sale price \$9,950. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11.75% APR for 60 months.	1993 Suzuki Swift GT 2dr, 4 cyl, 5 spd, am/fm, cass, sun roof, cloth int. Only 28K miles, red. \$154.53 mo Sale price \$7,225. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11.75% APR for 60 months.
1993 Nissan Sentra XE 4 dr, 4 cyl, 5 spd, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, cloth int. Near Carl. Only 42K miles, Gray. \$183.24 mo Sale price \$8,425. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11.75% APR for 60 months.	1993 Chevy Lumina Euro 2 dr, 6 cyl, auto, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, sun roof, anti-lock brakes, alum wheels, cloth int, black. \$240.08 mo Sale price \$10,800. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11.75% APR for 60 months.	1993 Mazda Protege 4dr, 4 cyl, auto, cloth int. Only 61K miles, am/fm, green. \$147.94 mo Sale price \$8,950. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11.75% APR for 60 months.
1992 Mercury Cougar LS 2dr, 6 cyl, auto, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, anti-lock brakes, alum wheels, cloth int, white. \$189.12 mo Sale price \$7,950. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 48 months.	1992 Ford Extended Aerostar 4x4 Van 6 cyl, auto, a/c, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, driver's air bag, anti-lock brakes, cloth int, 7 pass, deep tinted glass, SLT pkg. Green. \$233.99 mo Sale price \$9,950. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 48 months.	1992 Dodge Dynasty 4dr, 6 cyl, auto, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, cloth int, Brougham edition, Gold \$175.96 mo Sale price \$7,450. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 48 months.
1991 Isuzu Trooper 4x4 4 Dr 4dr, 6 cyl, 5 spd, cloth int, styled wheels, blue \$234.49 mo Sale price \$9,925. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12.9% APR for 48 months.	1991 Pontiac Bonneville 4dr, 6 cyl, auto, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, alum wheels, cloth int, maroon \$162.66 mo Sale price \$8,950. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12.9% APR for 48 months.	1991 Buick Regal 4 dr, 6 cyl, auto, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, cloth int, deep tinted glass, maroon. \$186.96 mo Sale price \$7,750. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12.9% APR for 48 months.
1994 Hyundai Excel 2dr, 4 cyl, auto, am/fm, cass, cloth int. Only 27K miles, silver. \$123.37 mo Sale price \$5,925. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11.5% APR for 60 months.	1993 Ford Probe 2dr, 4 cyl, 5 spd, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, pwr sun roof, driver's air bag, cloth int, aqua. \$183.64 mo Sale price \$8,450. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11.75% APR for 60 months.	1993 Subaru Legacy 4dr, 4 cyl, auto, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, driver's air bag, cloth int. Only 42K miles, white. \$219.74 mo Sale price \$9,950. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11.75% APR for 60 months.
1994 Mercury Tracer LTS 4dr, 4 cyl, auto, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, anti-lock brakes, alum wheels, cloth int. Only 27K miles, sporty looking, red. \$201.93 mo Sale price \$9,950. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11.5% APR for 60 months.	1993 Chevy Lumina Euro 4dr, 6 cyl, auto, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, anti-lock brakes, alum wheels, cloth int, white. \$225.20 mo Sale price \$10,850. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11.75% APR for 60 months.	1992 Geo Storm 4 cyl, auto, a/c, am/fm, driver's air bag, cloth int, 44K miles, green. \$149.31 mo Sale price \$6,975. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 60 months.
1994 Dodge Grand Caravan Sport Van 6 cyl, auto, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, dual air bags, alum wheels, cloth int, 7 pass, deep tinted glass. A Beauty! Maroon. \$266.81 mo Sale price \$12,900. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11.5% APR for 60 months.	1993 Mercury Sable Wgn 6 cyl, auto, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, dual air bags, alum wheels, 8 pass, green. \$195.81 mo Sale price \$8,950. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 11.75% APR for 60 months.	1992 Buick Regal Limited 4 dr, 6 cyl, auto, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, seat, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, anti-lock brakes, alum whis, cloth int, deep tinted glass, red. \$238.50 mo Sale price \$9,925. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12% APR for 48 months.
1991 GMC Safari Extended 4x4 Van 6 cyl, auto, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, styled wheels, cloth int, 7 pass, two tone, deep tinted glass. Only 68K miles, SLT pkg. Blue/Blue. \$273.32 mo Sale price \$13,875. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 12.9% APR for 48 months.	1990 Lincoln Town Car 4dr, 6 cyl, auto, a/c, p/w, p/t, tilt, cruise, am/fm, cass, driver's air bag, alum wheels, cloth int, silver. \$203.50 mo Sale price \$7,850. Pmt: \$800 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 48 months.	

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Applications must be submitted to the Town Office by noon Friday, January 17, 1997.

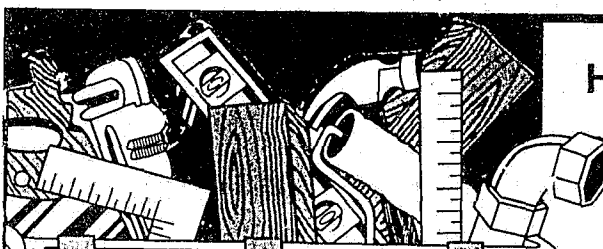
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#291 Two + wooded acres in resort area... \$16,900
#293 Forty mountaintop acres with expansive views... \$18,000

#602 Quiet 2.4+/- acres, deeded ROW to South Pond... \$20,000
#605 Secluded 26+/- acres has brook and views... \$23,000
#281 Commercial potential with this 14+/- acre parcel... \$34,000

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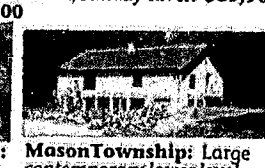
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Bethel: Situated on private 4+/- acre lot, this camp/office offers one bedroom, drilled well and is conveniently located to North Pond and Rt. 26. **\$39,900**

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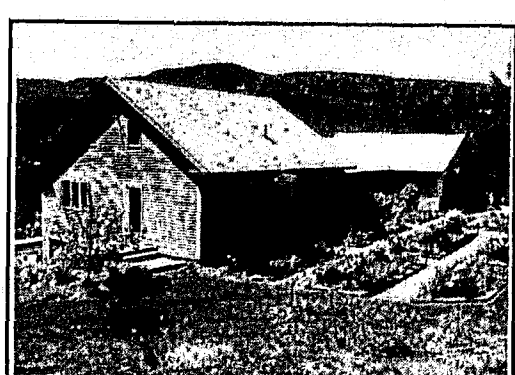
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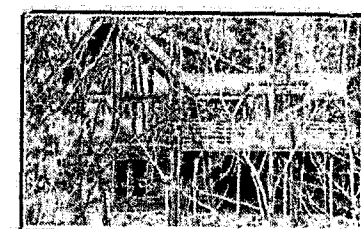
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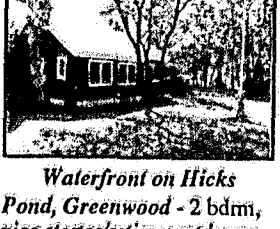
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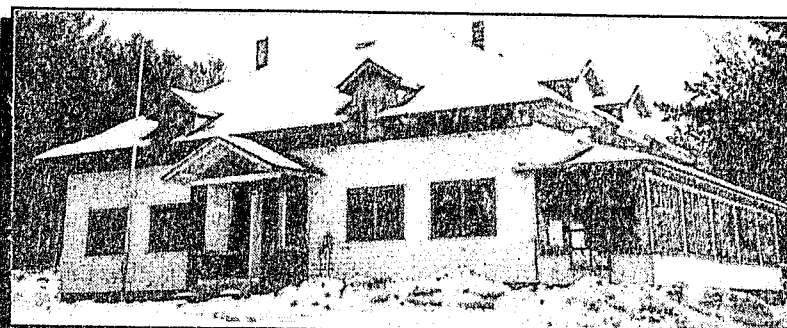
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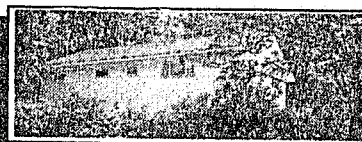
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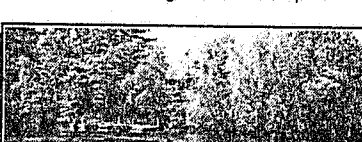
NEWLY HOME
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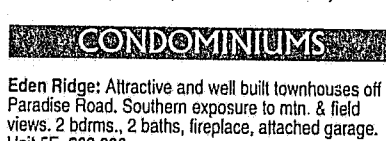
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Bethel Opera House: On the Common in Bethel Village. Loft bdrm. unit located next door to the Bethel Inn & walking distance to town amenities. Furnished. Unit #22 \$45,500

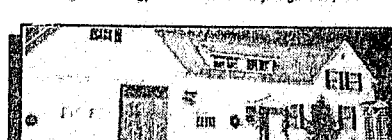
Brookside: B-level 2 bdrm. located trailside at Sunday River. Amenities inc. sep. rec. bldg, w/outdoor heated pool. Unit A-15 ground level, 1 bdrm. \$59,000 Unit B-305 Top Floor, 2 bdrm. \$69,000

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Sunday River Road: 2 lots with frontage on the Sunday River Road offering a peaceful, picturesque setting and close proximity to Sunday River Ski Resort. Lot #1, 4.1+/- acres \$29,000; Lot #2, 7.9+/- acres - \$32,000

Powder Ridge: 1.16+/- acre building lot located on a cul-de-sac in Powder Ridge Subdivision. Nicely elevated lot with power nearby. Easily accessible to Sunday River Ski Resort. Protective Covenants. Lot 87 - \$28,900

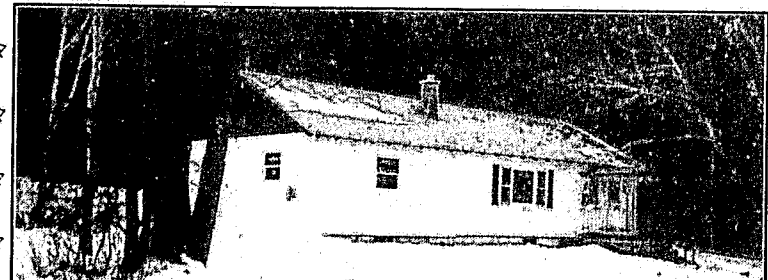
River Frontage - Bethel: 2.5+/- acre lot in Bear Point subdivision. 20+/- ft. of shore frontage on the Androscoggin River. Private lot w/ views. Cleared building site, easy access, protective covenants. Soil tested. \$32,000

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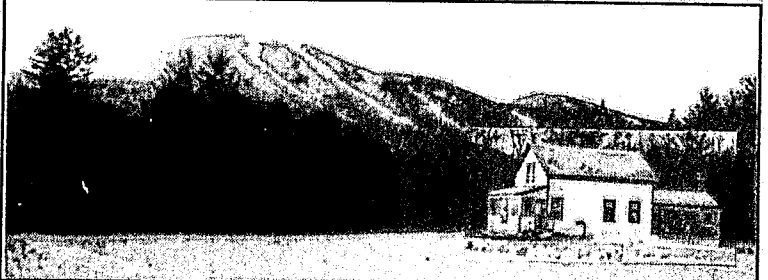
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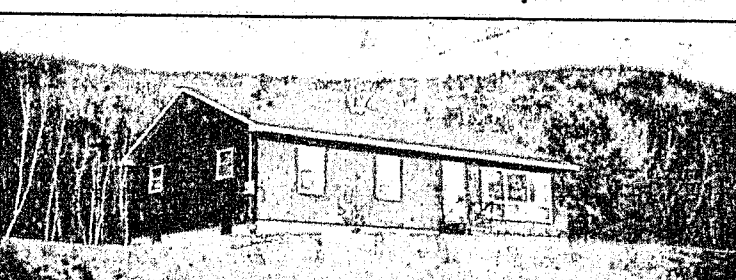
New Listing - Bethel: Bask in early morning sun in this quiet & secluded country setting with ever-so-close proximity to Village amenities, exciting employment opportunities, 2 wonderful ski resorts, impressive 18-hole championship golf course & scenic river and lake access. All important surroundings beam with mtn. vista views affording an idyllic and peaceful family neighborhood for primary or vacation ownership. This easy-to-maintain 3 BR ranch showcases a lovely LR w/picture window and cozy hearth, Elk w/attached screened porch for lazy summer evening enjoyment, all on a 1.6+/- acre, naturally landscaped parcel. Affordably priced at \$79,000



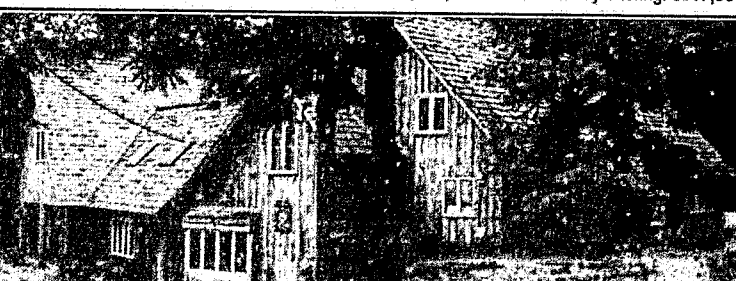
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Sunday River Village: Search no longer for the perfect ski-in/ski-out primary/vacation home! This offering is absolutely magnificent! Massive contemporary ski chalet features large exposed beam game room, handsome tavern for apres-ski, great room, newly constructed LR w/stone fireplace, 4 bdrms., & a spacious 1 bdrm. lum. apt. with rich revenue generating history. 1+/- acre lot w/sunny Sunday River trail views and on-site quaint bridge leading to Ridge Run! Call for Details.



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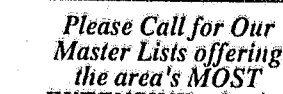
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Bird Hill Rd: Gorgeous land lot in this ever popular location. Fantastic mtn. views & a most manageable 2.84+/- ac. wooded lot. \$29,500



Powder Ridge Lot #2: This 2.79+/- acre lot has unsurpassed mountain vista view surroundings and trail views in established upper-end community close to skitway. \$67,500



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Sunny Hills, Newry: Most spectacularly scenic Sunday River Valley area, 5.3+/- acre parcel with extensive view vantage of all trails awaits your custom plans \$48,000



Obituaries

CHARLES E. SEAMES

Charles E. Seames, 90, formerly of Milton Plantation, died Friday, Dec. 27, 1996, at Mayo Regional Hospital, Dover-Foxcroft, where he was a patient for one day.

He was born in Milton on Nov. 4, 1906, the son of Lawrence and Eva (Hopkins) Seames and lived in Milton most of his life.

He worked as a farmer and at local saw mills.

Survivors include a son, Clinton of Oxford; six grandchildren; several great-grandchildren; and two cousins.

Graveside services will be held in the spring at the East Milton Cemetery.

RONALD P. WESTON

Ronald P. Weston, 70, of South Paris, died Monday, Dec. 30, 1996, at Ledgeview Nursing Home.

Born at West Paris on March 15, 1926, the son of Charles and Jessie Ross Weston, he had lived in the area most of his life.

Mr. Weston attended schools at West Paris, and during World War II he served as a Staff Sgt. with the 2123rd U.S. Army Air Force Base Unit, including overseas in the Rhineland and central Europe, where he received five Bronze Stars.

He had worked as an oil burner serviceman in the area until ill health forced his retirement from Ripley & Fletcher at South Paris in 1982.

He was a former member of the local American Legion and VFW Posts.

Survivors include one son, Lawrence R. of South Burlington,

Vt.; one grandson, Terrance of South Burlington, Vt.; and his mother of South Paris.

At his request, there were no funeral services. Interment will be at Wayside Cemetery, West Paris, in the spring.

DONALD W. BENNETT

Donald Woodrow Bennett, 83, of Main Street, Locke Mills, died late Monday afternoon, Dec. 30, 1996, at Stephens Memorial Hospital, after a short illness.

Mr. Bennett was born on April 14, 1913, on Rowe Hill in Greenwood, where he spent the first six years of his life. His parents, Jason R. and Cora Morgan Bennett, moved the family to Main Street, Locke Mills, where he resided the remainder of his life. He married the former Elsie Abbott on Nov. 23, 1933, and together they had three sons: Dean Birchard, Neal Abbott (who died as an infant), and James Richard.

For 46 years he worked across the street from his home at the wood-turning mill known variously as Tebbets Mill, Ekco Products Co., and Gilbert Mfg. Co. His employment was only interrupted by service in the South Pacific during World War II.

He served as a 3rd Class Petty Officer in the Construction Battalion, known commonly as the "Seabees," from May 5, 1944, to Jan. 4, 1946. During this time he was stationed in the Philippines and, at war's end, in China.

As a young man, he enjoyed playing baseball on the town team. Throughout his life he enjoyed the outdoors, hunting, open water and

ice fishing, berry picking, and spending time at camp. For 28 years, he and his wife Elsie were regular tenters at Cathedral Pines in Eustis. In later years he enjoyed attending public suppers, playing solitaire and taking bus trips with his wife throughout the eastern United States and Canada.

He was concerned about his community and participated faithfully in Greenwood town meetings. He regularly attended the Locke Mills Union Church. Above all, he was devoted to his wife, sons, and extended family and enjoyed reunions and get-togethers.

He was a past commander and member for over 50 years of the American Legion, Jackson-Silver Post 68 of Locke Mills. He was also a long-time member and past master of Jefferson Lodge 100, AF & AM, a life member and past worthy patron of the Eastern Star, a life member of the Greenwood Historical Society, a former member of the Greenwood School Board, and a member of both the Bethel Senior Citizens and the Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens.

He is survived by his wife of 63 years; his sister, Barbara Hathaway of Bryant Pond; a son, Dean of Mount Vernon, a professor at the University of Maine at Farmington, and his wife Sheila; a son, James of Northfield, Vt., director of music at Norwich University, and his wife Julia; a granddaughter, Cheryl Martin of New Richmond, Wis., a civil engineer, and her husband Charles; a grandson, Richard Bennett of Norway, a Maine state senator, and his wife Karen; a granddaughter, Leslie Bennett of Silver Springs, Md., a high school teacher; a grandson, Jason Bennett of Northfield, Vt., a college student, and a baby great-granddaughter, Abigail Bennett of Norway.

Funeral services were held at the Locke Mills Union Church on Jan. 4. Interment will be in the Mt. Abram Cemetery in the spring. Friends who wish may make

memorial contributions, in his memory, to the Locke Mills Union Church, Locke Mills, ME 04255.

KEITH T. BROWN

Keith T. Brown, 54, of Gorham, died Monday, Dec. 30, 1996, at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

He was born in Lewiston on March 25, 1942, the son of Raynor and Georgia Thayer Brown. He attended Waterford schools and Gould Academy.

Since 1968, he had worked for the city of Portland in Parks and Recreation. He was secretary and treasurer of the union for the city of Portland.

On April 13, 1990, he married Anne Marsden of North Waterford.

He was a member of the South Portland Hiram Lodge of the Masons. He enjoyed fishing and the outdoors.

Survivors include his wife of North Waterford; his father and mother, formerly of North Waterford, now of South Paris; one brother, Harry of Venice, Fla.; two sisters, Ellie Heath of East Waterford and Becky Burke of South Paris. He was predeceased by his first wife, Lucille Pare.

Memorial services were held Saturday, Jan. 4, at the Raymond/Weston-Chandler Funeral Home, Norway, with the Rev. Earle Bell officiating. Interment will be in the spring at Woodlawn Cemetery in North Waterford.

DORA B. H. HAZELTON

Dora B. H. Hazelton, 92, formerly of Sumner, died Friday, Jan. 3, 1997, at Ledgeview Nursing Home. She was the widow of Hiram Hazelton and Alton C. Hadley.

She was born in Sumner on May 19, 1904, daughter of the late Fred C. and Anna E. (Hammond) Wing, and had been a resident of that community all her life, with the exception of several years in Buckfield. She attended the Sumner schools and Pine Tree Academy in Auburn.

A homemaker, she was associated

with Penley's of West Paris for several years, but was better known for being a foster mother for many years, spanning three generations.

She married Alton Hadley in 1922, who died in 1942. She then married Hiram Hazelton in the early 1950s; he died in 1986.

She was a member of the South Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church.

Survivors include three sons, Maurice Hadley and his wife Gloria of West Paris, Erlon Hadley and his wife Maude-Alice of South Woodstock, and Glendon Hadley and his wife Martha of Sumner; two daughters-in-law, Helen Hadley of Sumner and Audrey Hadley of West Paris; 16 grandchildren; 26 great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews, as well as many foster children.

She was predeceased by three daughters, Althea, Freda and Glenice Hadley; two sons, Alton Jr. and Carroll Hadley; and a brother, Harold Wing.

Funeral services were held at the South Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church on Monday, Jan. 6. Interment will be in Pleasant Pond Cemetery, Sumner, in the spring. Friends who wish may make memorial contributions to the Forestdale S.D.A. School, 43 Perkins Valley Road, Bryant Pond, ME 04219.

NELLIE H. CAPILLON

Nellie (Harrington) Capillon, 98, of Prince Street, Attleboro, Mass., died Friday, Jan. 3, 1997, at Study Memorial Hospital. For over 60 years she maintained her residence in Attleboro.

Mrs. Capillon was born in Greenwood, daughter of the late Michael and Ellen (Driscoll) Harrington. She attended the Greenwood and Bethel schools, graduated from Gould Academy in 1917 and attended Castine Normal School, becoming a teacher.

For the greater portion of her life she was a homemaker. She married Edward Capillon in 1937, who died

Sept. 19, 1986.

Survivors include her daughter, Yvette Best of New Orleans, La.; a granddaughter; a grandson; and many nieces and nephews. Besides her husband, she was predeceased by a daughter, Helen Peluso.

Funeral services were read at the Greenleaf Funeral Home, Bethel, Sunday afternoon, Jan. 5, with interment in the Irish Neighborhood Cemetery, Greenwood. Serving as bearers were: Raymond D. Harrington, Franklin Harrington, Ralph Harrington, Randy Harrington, Stephanie Best, Crawford Best, Carrie Harrington, and Patrick Harrington.

MARY GREENE

Mary Greene, 76, of Norway, died Friday, Jan. 3, 1997, at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Born at Norway on Nov. 26, 1920, the daughter of Henry and Agnes Billings Healy, she was a graduate of Norway High School.

Mrs. Greene had worked at B.E. Cole Shoe Company at Norway for many years. She attended the South Paris Baptist Church.

She enjoyed crafts, gardening and her church activities. She had lived in the Norway area all her life. She was married to Bruce A. Greene in 1938 and he died on Aug. 2, 1980.

Survivors include six daughters, Maureen Dresser of Zephyrhills, Fla., Joanne Durgin of Sanford, Sherrill Ford of Bryant Pond, Jeanette Coolidge of Locke Mills, Mary Walls of Yarmouth and Jennifer Meserve of Norway; one son, Jeffrey Greene of Conway, N.H.; 11 grandchildren; and 22 great-grandchildren.

Family and friends are invited to attend a memorial service at 2 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 11, at South Paris Baptist Church, with the Rev. Gary Poorman officiating. Interment will be at Norway Pine Grove Cemetery in the spring. In lieu of flowers, donations in Mrs. Greene's memory may be sent to the Paris Christian Academy School, P.O. Box 282, South Paris, ME 04281.

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Ruby Davis
Ledgeview Nursing Home

Card of Thanks

Words cannot express the kindness to each and everyone for the thoughtfulness shown me the last year and at Christmas. Santa and his helpers were sure busy. Special thanks to the person who rescued me from under the garage door. Bless you all.

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We send our heartfelt thanks to our family and friends who provided us with prayers, love, support and food while we spent time with Travis and Zachary in the Neonatal Intensive Care Center at Maine Medical Center.

Special thanks to the neonatology professionals, especially Dr. Doreen Morrow, Dr. Peter Marro, Dr. Brenda White, the many RNs and other professionals who believed in Travis and Zachary.

It's wonderful to be part of a small town community that is caring and supportive, with employers like Sunday River Ski Resort and Maine Handicapped Skiing and businesses like Main St. Beauty Shop where friends could go to get information on our family.

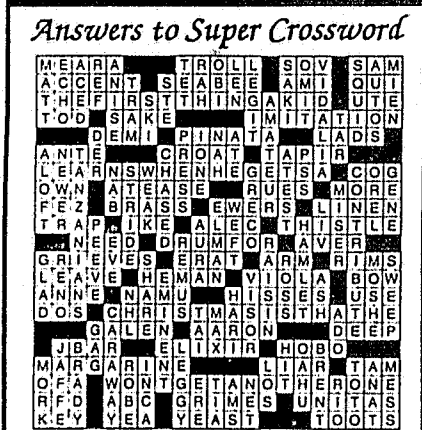
We look forward to raising Travis and Zachary in the Bethel area and having them get to know the wonderful and special people who are a part of our lives.

To Mom and Dad, words cannot express our love for you, we don't know how we'd have made it through this experience without you!

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We wish you all a healthy and happy 1997.

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